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1936	Hamilton,	Malcolm A. Campbell, D.D., Montreal, Que.
1937	Ottawa,	Hugh Munroe, B.A., D.D., New Glasgow, N.S.
1938	Toronto,	Donald MacOdrum, B.A., D.D., Brockville, Ont.
1939	Midland,	Stuart C. Parker, M.A., B.D., D.D., Toronto, Ont.

THE ATTENTION OF SYNODS, PRESBYTERIES AND SESSIONS IS CALLED TO THE FOLLOWING MATTERS WHICH HAVE BEEN APPROVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

1. That in view of returns received from the Presbyteries and Sessions in reply to the Board's letters regarding the specific duties of Sessions as outlined in the Book of Forms, Presbyteries be now requested to make visitations of Sessions and Deacon's Courts or Boards of Managers within their bounds as under section 199 (*a*) and (*b*) and specifically to bring about a better understanding of their position as regards the general work of the Church, to the end that by mutual assistance and support the work of the local congregations and the Church as a whole may be furthered to the greater glory of God in this land and beyond the seas. (Report of the Board of Administration, Rec. No. 1, App. p. 167.)

2. Re Budget Allocations. That the General Assembly approve of the Budget as submitted to the Synods of the Church that their respective allocations be approved, and, in turn, allocated to the Presbyteries within their bounds at the earliest possible date, not later than October 31st, 1939. (Report of the Board of Administration, Rec. No. 2, App. p. 167.)

3. Re Committee on Church Property. That Presbyteries be requested to appoint annually a Committee on Church Property whose duty it shall be to secure reports from congregations within the bounds as to the appointment of Trustees to fill vacancies caused by death or removal, to advise regarding any questions as to title of Church Property, and to secure reports regarding Fire Insurance on all Church Property. (Report of the Board of Administration, Rec. No. 4, App. p. 167.)

4. Re Recall to Religion. Feeling the need of a recall to religion in the lives of our people we recommend that Presbyteries make this matter one of deep concern and attention, adopting methods and proceeding upon lines that seem best to them in promoting true evangelical religion, and the spirit of friendship and brotherly love. (Report of Committee on Evangelism and Church Life and Work, Rec. No. 1, App. p. 99.)

5. Sustentation Fund. That the Clerks of all three lower Courts be instructed by the Assembly to see that regulations, notes and other literature on the Sustentation Fund sent to them, be read and studied by their respective Courts. (Report of Committee on Sustentation Fund, Rec. No. 3, App. p. 104.)

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Sixty-Fifth General Assembly

OF

The Presbyterian Church in Canada

HELD IN

Knox Church, Midland

JUNE 7th, 1939

FIRST SEDERUNT

At the Town of Midland, Ontario, and within Knox Church there, the seventh day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, at eight o'clock in the evening.

Which time and place Ministers and ruling Elders, Commissioners from the several Presbyteries of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, convened pursuant to appointment by the General Assembly held in the City of Toronto on the first day of June last year.

The Reverend Hugh Munroe, D.D., the last Moderator of a General Assembly present, conducted public worship and preached a sermon from the words; "No man can serve two Masters: for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to the one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon."—The Gospel according to Matthew, chapter 6, verse 24.

Thereafter, by prayer, he did constitute the General Assembly in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, the only King and Head of the Church.

Roll Call

The Clerks having laid upon the table a printed list of the names of those commissioned by the several Presbyteries of the Church, the Assembly

agreed to accept the same as the Roll of Assembly, subject to any corrections subsequently to be made when the same is scrutinized.

The Roll finally adopted is as follows:—

(Those marked with an asterisk were not present.)

I.—SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

1.—PRESBYTERY OF CAPE BRETON AND NEWFOUNDLAND

Ministers	*Elders*
D. J. Gillies, Indian Brook, N.S.	John D. MacDonald, Tarbot, N.S.
J. F. Nute, Trout River, N.S.	D. P. Morrison, Marion Bridge, N.S.
H. A. Doig, Albert Bridge, N.S.	Andrew Williamson, Orangedale, N.S.

2.—PRESBYTERY OF PICTOU

Hugh Munroe, D.D., New Glasgow, N.S.	*J. G. Calkin, New Glasgow, N.S.
*Andrew Brown, B.D., Sunny Brae, N.S.	*W. A. Clark, Scotsburn, N.S.
J. W. Britton, Sherbrooke, N.S.	*Andrew Fraser, Pictou, N.S.
Norman D. Kennedy, M.C., M.A., New Glasgow, N.S.	R. G. Ross, Alma, Westville, N.S.

3.—PRESBYTERY OF HALIFAX AND LUNENBURG

G. M. Dix, B.D., Truro, N.S.	*A. M. Fraser, Milford Station, N.S.
Murray Y. Fraser, Springhill, N.S.	

4.—PRESBYTERY OF SAINT JOHN

James Middleton, Stanley, N.B.	*E. A. MacKay, Fredericton, N.B.
C. J. St.Clair Jeans, Saint John, N.B.	*John Toft, St. Stephen, N.B.

5.—PRESBYTERY OF MIRAMICHI

M. E. Genge, D.D., Chatham, N.B.	Robert C. Rogers, Bathurst, N.B.

6.—PRESBYTERY OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

W. O. Rhoad, Th.B., Kensington, P.E.I.	C. E. MacDuff, R.R. 4, New Wiltshire, P.E.I.
T. Owen Hughes, B.A., Montague, P.E.I.	*Donald MacKinnon, Charlottetown, P.E.I.

II.—SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

7.—PRESBYTERY OF QUEBEC

Malcolm Gillies, Milan, Que.	Alexander Watson, Inverness, Que.
A. D. MacLellan, Scotstown, Que.	*Robert G. Cruickshank, Kinnear's Mills, Ont.

8.—PRESBYTERY OF MONTREAL

Ministers	*Elders*
Malcolm A. Campbell, D.D., Montreal.	John McFarlane, Outremont, Que.
George H. Donald, D.D., Montreal, Que.	*George Stevenson, Montreal West, Que.
W. J. McIvor, Th.D., Montreal, Que.	*O. J. Miller, Toronto, Ont.
H. R. Pickup, B.A., Montreal West, Que.	John S. Ross, Athelstan, Que.
David Scott, M.A., Montreal, Que.	James Wilson, Montreal, Que.
Allan S. Reid, D.D., Montreal, Que.	George W. Mingie, M.A., Montreal, Que.

9.—PRESBYTERY OF GLENGARRY

*Edwin E. Preston, B.D., Vankleek Hill, Ont.	*Robert B. Edgar, Lancaster, Ont.
Donald N. MacMillan, Ph.D., Dunvegan, Ont.	James McNaughton, Cornwall, Ont.

10.—PRESBYTERY OF OTTAWA

R. Johnston, D.D., Ottawa, Ont.	C. M. Pitts, Ottawa, Ont.
Alex. Ferguson, B.D., Ottawa, Ont.	F. A. McDiarmid, Ottawa, Ont.
C. L. Mitchell, B.D., Vernon, Ont.	S. B. Gordon, Richmond, Ont.

11.—PRESBYTERY OF LANARK AND RENFREW

H. A. Berlis, Perth, Ont.	J. C. Browne, Pembroke, Ont.
A. J. Fowlie, Almonte, Ont.	John A. Stewart, Renfrew, Ont.

12.—PRESBYTERY OF BROCKVILLE

Wm. Merrilees, Westport, Ont.	Thos. E. Coulthart, Morewood, Ont.
H. P. Maitland, Spencerville, Ont.	*Dr. W. F. Meikle, Toronto, Ont.

III.—SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

13.—PRESBYTERY OF KINGSTON

C. E. Kidd, B.D., Gananoque, Ont.	A. B. Baird, Belleville, Ont.
A. E. Cameron, B.D., R.R. 1, Kingston, Ont.	W. H. White, Roslin, Ont.
W. A. Hunter, B.D., Madoc, Ont.	*James A. Thomson, Gananoque, Ont.

14.—PRESBYTERY OF PETERBOROUGH

Gordon R. Duncan, Warkworth, Ont.	A. W. Skinner, Cobourg, Ont.
C. G. Graham, B.A., Colborne, Ont.	Wm. G. Hooey, Nestleton, Ont.

15.—PRESBYTERY OF LINDSAY

G. M. Jamieson, Beaverton, Ont.	Peter Gilchrist, R.R. 1, Brechin, Ont.
John Kennedy, Sonya, Ont.	D. J. MacMillan, R.R. 1, Lorneville, Ont.

16.—PRESBYTERY OF TORONTO

Ministers	*Elders*
Stuart C. Parker, D.D., Toronto, Ont.	E. W. McNeill, Toronto, Ont.
J. G. Inkster, D.D., Toronto, Ont.	George Beare, Toronto, Ont.
W. T. McCree, M.A., Toronto, Ont.	W. M. MacDonald, Weston, Ont.
Thomas Eakin, D.D., Toronto, Ont.	Dr. W. J. Clark, Toronto, Ont.
Morris Zeidman, B.D., Toronto, Ont.	H. A. Miller, Toronto, Ont.
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A. B. Ransom, B.D., Toronto, Ont.	*W. Greig, Toronto, Ont.
J. B. Paulin, D.D., Toronto, Ont.	James Campbell, Toronto, Ont.
J. D. Cunningham, B.D., Richmond Hill, Ont.	T. P. Geggie, Toronto, Ont.

17.—PRESBYTERY OF ORANGEVILLE

C. Graham Jones, B.D., Grand Valley, Ont.	Russell Oliver, Amaranth Station, Ont.
Geo. Aitken, Th.D., Caledon East, Ont.	Charles Densmore, Grand Valley, Ont.

18.—PRESBYTERY OF BARRIE

W. J. Mark, D.D., Elmvale, Ont.	J. A. Corbett, Thornton, Ont.
W. T. Cranston, Tottenham, Ont.	H. R. Wilson, Bradford, Ont.
Robertson Millar, Oro Station, Ont.	C. McLeod, Nottawa, Ont.
J. A. MacInnis, B.D., Orillia, Ont.	T. Cooper, Elmvale, Ont.

19.—PRESBYTERY OF NORTH BAY AND TEMISKAMING

C. J. MacKay, B.A., Kirkland Lake, Ont.	Judge J. B. Moon, Parry Sound, Ont.

20.—PRESBYTERY OF ALGOMA

C. G. Boyd, B.A., Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.	R. D. Curry, Bar River, Ont.

21.—PRESBYTERY OF SAUGEEN

John R. Waldie, B.D., Arthur, Ont.	*David Campbell, Clifford, Ont.
George Killen, Drayton, Ont.	C. A. Fraser, Arthur, Ont.

22.—PRESBYTERY OF GUELPH

T. G. Marshall, Hespeler, Ont.	J. W. Kerr, R.R. 3, Guelph, Ont.
M. B. Davidson, D.D., Galt, Ont.	J. E. Pearen, R.R. 3, Acton, Ont.
J. J. Lowe, Hespeler, Ont.	Col. W. M. O. Lochead, M.A., Waterloo.

IV.—SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

23.—PRESBYTERY OF HAMILTON

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Austin L. Budge, M.A., Hamilton, Ont.	John C. Gordon, Hamilton, Ont.
W. B. Mitchell, B.A., Dundas, Ont.	Gordon A. McCulloch, Hamilton, Ont.
W. A. J. Graham, Thorold, Ont.	*Wm. McLaren, R.R. 4, St. Catharines, Ont.
Wm. Barclay, B.D., Hamilton, Ont.	W. M. Clark, Hamilton, Ont.
S. Banks Nelson, D.D., Hamilton, Ont.	*James E. Eddie, Thorold, Ont.

24.—PRESBYTERY OF PARIS

A. R. Ferguson, M.A., Simcoe, Ont.	H. McKee, Norwich, Ont.
A. MacLean, Embro, Ont.	John B. Cruickshank, R.R. 3, Paris, Ont.

25.—PRESBYTERY OF LONDON

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Donald McKay, London, Ont.	D. Hyndman, West Lorne, Ont.

26.—PRESBYTERY OF CHATHAM

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F. R. Anderson, B.D., Dresden, Ont.	*Oliver Drury, R.R. 5, Blenheim, Ont.

27.—PRESBYTERY OF SARNIA

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28.—PRESBYTERY OF STRATFORD

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John Elder, Milverton, Ont.	Robert Bain, R.R. 3, Stratford, Ont.
James Reidie, Cromarty, Ont.	*Alexander Waly, St. Mary's, Ont.

29.—PRESBYTERY OF HURON

J. H. Barnett, Ph.D., Goderich, Ont.	F. G. Weir, Goderich, Ont.
D. C. Hill, B.D., Exeter, Ont.	Henry Strang, Exeter, Ont.

30.—PRESBYTERY OF MAITLAND

C. H. MacDonald, Lucknow, Ont.	James H. Pickering, Lucknow, Ont.
G. M. Young, R.R. 5, Lucknow, Ont.	John S. MacDonald, R.R. 6, Lucknow, Ont.

31.—PRESBYTERY OF BRUCE

Ministers	*Elders*
S. Moore Gordon, B.D., Chatsworth, Ont.	*Robert Sinclair, Owen Sound, Ont.
H. G. Cleghorn, Hanover, Ont.	Wm. Hendry, Tiverton, Ont.

V.—SYNOD OF MANITOBA

32.—PRESBYTERY OF SUPERIOR

J. Stanley Flook, Fort William, Ont. — Malcolm McLeod, Fort Frances, Ont.

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W. Gordon Maclean, B.D., Winnipeg, Man. — R. W. McGee, Winnipeg, Man.
R. MacKay Esler, Winnipeg, Man. — George Leckie, Winnipeg, Man.

34.—PRESBYTERY OF BRANDON

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Wm. Weir, B.A., Portage la Prairie, Man. — John McDowell, Brandon, Man.

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43.—PRESBYTERY OF MACLEOD

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45.—PRESBYTERY OF WESTMINSTER

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46.—PRESBYTERY OF VICTORIA

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47.—PRESBYTERY OF VINDHIYA AND SATPURA MOUNTAIN BHIL

Dr. John Howie, London, Ont.

Election of Moderator

Dr. Munroe briefly addressed the Assembly. He concluded by intimating that the time had come for this Assembly to appoint a Moderator to preside over its deliberations.

Nominations being called for the following names were presented to the Assembly:—Dr. S. Banks Nelson, Dr. James MacKay, Dr. Stuart C. Parker.

Upon the request of Dr. S. Banks Nelson and of Dr. James MacKay the Assembly granted them permission to withdraw their names from nomination.

The acting Moderator declared the nominations closed.

Upon the motion of Dr. James MacKay, seconded by Dr. S. Banks Nelson the election of Dr. Stuart C. Parker was made unanimous.

Dr. Parker having been conducted to the Chair by the mover and seconder of his appointment, then addressed the Assembly, thanking them for the honour conferred upon him, and claiming the usual consideration and aid accorded to the position in which he was placed.

Thanks to Dr. Munroe

Upon the motion of Mr. A. L. Budge, seconded by Mr. A. R. Skinner, it was unanimously agreed that the thanks of the Assembly be tendered to Dr. Munroe for his services as acting Moderator, and especially for the able and appropriate sermon preached by him.

Synod Records

The records of the several Synods were then called for.

Report of the Committee on Business

The Assembly called for the Report of the Committee on Business which being given in and read by Dr. MacNamara, was received, considered, and adopted as a whole as follows:—

1. That, with a view to having the attendance accurately recorded, each member be requested to write upon a card, which has been provided for the purpose, his name, home address, and the Presbytery which he represents, and to hand it in to the Registration Office, together with his Railway Ticket, receiving in return therefor a copy of the Stitched Reports to be submitted to this Assembly.

2. That the Sederunts of the Assembly be from 10 o'clock in the morning until 12.30; from 2.30 to 5.30 in the afternoon, and from 8 to 10 in the evening.

3. That in accordance with the instructions of Assembly, the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper be observed at the morning Sederunt tomorrow, and that the service be conducted by the Moderator, assisted by Mr. A. C. Stewart, and that the following Elders be appointed to serve at the Communion Service:—Mr. T. A. Sharp, Mr. Robert Nesbitt, Mr. J. G. Calkin, Mr. Donald MacKinnon, Mr. John A. Stewart, Mr. G. W. Mingie, Mr. James Thompson, Mr. W. H. Fletcher, Judge J. G. Stanbury, Mr. F. G. Weir, Mr. George Leckie, Judge J. B. Moon, Mr. Thos. Dodds, Dr. John Howie, Mr. T. P. Geggie, Mr. David Campbell.

4. That the Committee on Bills and Overtures be composed as follows:—Clerks of Assembly, Clerks of Synods and Presbyteries who are Commissioners, and the following:—Dr. M. B. Davidson (Convener), Mr. A. R. Skinner, Mr. G. M. Dix, Mr. H. R. Pickup, Mr. J. A. MacInnis, Dr. J. H. Barnett, Ministers; and Mr. F. A. McDiarmid, Mr. David Campbell, Mr. W. A. Wyllie and Mr. W. G. Benton, Elders.

5. That the following constitute the Business Committee of Assembly:—Mr. C. H. MacDonald (Convener), Mr. T. G. Marshall, Mr. A. J. Fowlie, Mr. Andrew Walker, Ministers; and Mr. T. Cooper, Mr. D. Hyndman and Mr. Malcolm McLeod, Elders.

6. That the following constitute the Committee to deal with the report on Remits:—Mr. W. F. McCree (Convener), Mr. Robertson Millar, Mr. C. Younger-Lewis, Mr. A. E. Cameron, Ministers; and Mr. W. B. Davidson, and Mr. J. W. Kerr, Elders.

7. That the following be appointed a Committee on the Roll and Leave to Withdraw:—Mr. Donald McKay (Convener), Mr. C. G. Boyd, Mr. T. Owen Hughes, Mr. W. A. Hunter, Ministers; and Mr. Alex Watson, Mr. W. M. MacDonald and Mr. Angus Shaw, Elders.

8. That the Committee on Sabbath Services be the Moderator, Clerks of Assembly, Dr. Hugh Munroe, Mr. A. C. Stewart, Mr. C. E. Kidd, Ministers; and Mr. W. H. Fletcher, Elder.

9. That the Committees to examine the records of Assembly and the Synods be as follows:—

The General Assembly:—Dr. A. M. Currie, Mr. G. M. Young, Ministers; and Mr. F. G. Weir, Elder.

The Maritime Synod:—Mr. C. E. Fisher, Mr. John Hart, Ministers; and Mr. Ernest Ross, Elder.

Synod of Montreal and Ottawa:—Mr. G. R. Duncan, Mr. C. E. Kidd, Ministers; and Mr. A. W. Skinner, Elder.

Synod of Toronto and Kingston:—Dr. W. A. Cameron, Mr. Peter McNabb, Ministers; and Mr. James McPherson, Elder.

Synod of Hamilton and London:—Mr. C. L. Mitchell, Mr. H. P. Maitland, Ministers; and Mr. J. C. Brown, Elder.

Synod of Manitoba:—Mr. A. R. Ferguson, Mr. John Elder, Ministers; and Mr. George Anderson, Elder.

Synod of Saskatchewan:—Mr. A. L. Budge, Mr. F. R. Anderson, Ministers; and Mr. William Clark, Elder.

Synod of Alberta:—Mr. A. B. Ransom, Mr. C. Graham Jones, Ministers; and Mr. George Beare, Elder.

Synod of British Columbia:—Mr. R. G. McKay, Mr. Jas. Evans, Ministers; and Mr. J. H. Cameron, Elder.

10. That the following be appointed members of the Committee to Strike Standing Committees:—Dr. A. S. Reid (Convener), Dr. J. S. Shortt, Mr. N. D. Kennedy, Mr. C. J. St. Clair Jeans, Mr. H. A. Berlis, Mr. John Lindsay, Mr. W. B. Mitchell, Mr. R. M. Esler, Mr. R. A. Sinclair, Mr. G. S. Bauleh, Mr. F. G. Fowler, Ministers; and Mr. James Wilson, Mr. C. A.

Fraser, Mr. Henry Strang, Mr. John McDowell, Mr. John Garrett, Mr. A. Herrod, Mr. W. Dawson, Elders.

11. That the Moderator be requested to name a Committee to confer with the Moderator in Nominating Committees, and that a Committee on Resolutions and a Committee on Loyal Addresses be appointed by the Moderator.

12. That the pews in the Church to the first pillar on each side be reserved for the use of Commissioners.

13. That the official photograph of the Assembly be taken tomorrow immediately at the close of the morning Sederunt.

Leave to Sit

The Board of Education asked for, and was granted, permission to sit during the Sederunts of the Assembly until their work is completed.

Committee to Confer with Moderator and Committee on Loyal Addresses

The Moderator requested that the appointment of these Committees be laid over until the morning Sederunt, and it was so agreed.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place tomorrow at ten o'clock in the forenoon, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the benediction by the Moderator.

SECOND SEDERUNT

At Midland, and within Knox Church there, the eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment.

According to the appointment of the Assembly at its last Sederunt, the Moderator conducted divine worship and administered the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. In this he was assisted by Mr. A. C. Stewart. The table was served by the Elders named by the Assembly.

The Moderator then constituted the Assembly with prayer.

Delegates

Mr. A. C. Stewart introduced to the General Assembly His Worship, Mr. James Mackie, Mayor of the Town of Midland, who brought greetings on behalf of the Council and Citizens of Midland.

The Moderator, on behalf of the Assembly, thanked His Worship the Mayor for his message of welcome.

Report of the Committee on Business

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Business, which was given in and read by Mr. C. H. MacDonald, the Convener, who

moved its reception and adoption. This, being seconded, was agreed to, and the business of the Assembly was ordered accordingly.

Upon motion of Mr. David Scott, duly seconded and agreed, the Assembly stood in silent prayer in memory of the former Moderator, Dr. D. MacOdrum.

Leave to Sit

The Assembly granted leave to sit during this Sederunt to the Committee on the Roll.

Report of the Committee on Correspondence

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Correspondence with Other Churches, which was given in by Dr. S. Banks Nelson, the Convener. Upon his motion, duly seconded, the report was received and its recommendations considered seriatim.

Upon motion of Dr. Nelson, duly seconded, it was agreed to approve the recommendation that a message be sent to The Presbyterian Church, New Zealand, in connection with the Jubilee of that Church in 1940, the preparation of the message to be left with the Clerk of the General Assembly and the Secretary of the Committee.

Upon the motion of Dr. Nelson, duly seconded, it was agreed to approve of the recommendation that a grant of $350.00 be made to the Central Bureau for the Relief of Evangelical Churches in Europe.

Re Refugees and Victims of Political Persecution

Dr. Nelson moved, seconded by Dr. R. Johnston, that the recommendation as printed be adopted.

It was moved in amendment by Mr. A. R. Ferguson, seconded by Mr. W. T. McCree that the word "generous" be added to the resolution after the word "wise."

Further consideration of the report was deferred to a later Sederunt.

Alliance of Reformed Churches

Dr. W. M. Rochester introduced to the General Assembly Rev. Paul S. Leinbach, D.D., of Philadelphia, who brought greetings from the Western Section of the Alliance of Reformed Churches, and referred to the contribution that the Alliance is making to the religious life of the Reformed Churches. The Moderator conveyed to Dr. Leinbach the thanks of the Assembly for his interesting and informative address.

Leave to Withdraw

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Leave, the Assembly agreed to grant permission to withdraw from further attendance to Mr. C. J. St. Clair Jeans.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at half past two o'clock in the afternoon, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

THIRD SEDERUNT

At the same place, on the same day, at half past two o'clock in the afternoon.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment and was constituted with prayer by the Moderator.

Committee to Advise with the Moderator

The Moderator submitted, and the Assembly accepted the following as a Committee to advise with the Moderator in the appointment of Committees:—Mr. N. D. Kennedy, Mr. H. A. Berlis, Dr. W. A. Cameron, Mr. David Scott, Mr. A. R. Skinner, Ministers; Judge J. B. Moon, Mr. George Beare and Mr. J. H. Cameron, Elders.

Message of Sympathy to Rev. W. G. Brown

Upon motion, duly seconded, it was agreed that the Committee on Resolutions be instructed to prepare and submit a message of sympathy to be forwarded to Rev. W. G. Brown.

Report of the Committee on "The Record"

The Assembly having called for the report of the Committee on *The Record*, it was presented by Dr. W. M. Rochester, in the absence of Mr. W. H. Fuller, the Convener. Upon the motion of Mr. E. W. McNeill, duly seconded, it was agreed that the report be received and its recommendation considered.

The recommendation as printed was considered and on motion of Mr. McNeill, duly seconded, was adopted.

It was moved by Mr. McNeill, duly seconded, that the report as a whole be adopted. This was agreed to.

It was moved by Dr. S. Banks Nelson, seconded by Mr. R. Herrod "That the Assembly's Committee on *The Record* consider the practicability of reducing the price of *The Record* to twenty-five cents per annum to increase the circulation, and to report to next Assembly." This was agreed to.

Report on Roll

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee appointed to examine the Roll of the General Assembly, and to mark, and report any changes which may be necessary. This was given in and read by Mr. D. McKay, the Convener, upon whose motion, duly seconded, it was received, its recommendations considered seriatim, and adopted, the following corrections being made in the Roll:—

Ministers:—That Mr. J. F. Nute be substituted for Mr. A. W. MacKenzie, Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland; and Mr. Graham M. Jamieson for Mr. E. W. B. MacKay, Presbytery of Lindsay.

Elders:—That Mr. W. H. White be substituted for Mr. H. Redcliffe, Presbytery of Kingston; Mr. R. J. Jones for Mr. W. G. Benton, Presbytery of Prince Albert; and Mr. Russell Oliver for Mr. John Hall, Presbytery of Orangeville.

Report of the General Board of Missions

The Assembly called for the Report of the General Board of Missions, which was given in by Dr. A. M. Hill, the Convener. Mr. McNeill moved, duly seconded, and it was agreed that the report be received and its recommendations considered seriatim.

The recommendations were then considered and were dealt with as follows:—

Mr. McNeill moved, duly seconded, that the first recommendation as printed be adopted.

It was moved in amendment by Mr. W. D. G. Hollingworth, seconded by Mr. W. A. Hunter, That the word "American" be deleted from this recommendation.

It was moved in amendment to the amendment by Mr. Wm. Barclay, seconded by Mr. W. T. McCree, That following the words "be permitted" there be added "with the consent of the Board of Education" to spend etc.

It was agreed that this recommendation together with the amendments be referred back to the General Board of Missions to consider and report at a later Sederunt.

The second recommendation as printed was, on motion, duly seconded, adopted.

Mr. McNeill moved, duly seconded, the adoption of the third recommendation as printed.

It was moved in amendment by Mr. W. A. Hunter, seconded by Dr. John Howie, That the Mission Board be requested to investigate the possibility of training young native Ministers in the Theological College, San Fernando, Trinidad, B.W.I.

Upon being put to a vote the amendment prevailed over the motion and became the judgment of the Court.

Recommendation No. 4 as printed was adopted.

Recommendation No. 5 was deferred to be considered at a later Sederunt, when the Petition from the Presbytery of Hamilton is reported on.

Further consideration of the report was deferred to a later Sederunt.

Women's Missionary Society

The Assembly called for the Reports of the Women's Missionary Society, Eastern and Western Divisions.

The Report of the Eastern Division, as printed, was presented by Dr. T. W. Taylor in the absence of Mrs. W. Clarke Elliott, Acting President in the place of Mrs. George E. Ross. Upon his motion, duly seconded, the report was received and adopted.

The report of the Western Division was given in by Mrs. W. A. McLennan, the President. Upon the motion of Dr. M. A. Campbell, seconded by Dr. S. Banks Nelson, the report was received and adopted.

Committee on Correspondence

On behalf of the Committee on Correspondence Dr. W. M. Rochester submitted the following message to be forwarded to the Baptist Convention of Ontario and Quebec, meeting in Toronto, in commemoration of its Jubilee.

"Rev. Dr. H. H. Bingham, President, The Baptist Convention of Ontario and Quebec, Toronto.

"The General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada congratulates the Convention upon attaining its Jubilee, gives thanks to God for the Evangelical message, earnest service and good example of the Church sustained through the years and prays for the success of the Convention and the prosperity of the Church."

On motion of Mr. A. L. Budge, seconded by Judge Moon, it was agreed to approve of the message.

BILLS AND OVERTURES

Dr. M. B. Davidson, Convener of the Committee on Bills and Overtures was granted permission to submit an interim report, and recommended that the following communications be received and referred to the Business Committee to find a place on the docket:— A letter from The United Church of Canada, a letter from the British and Foreign Bible Society, and a letter from The Lord's Day Alliance of Canada.

Upon his motion, duly seconded the report with its recommendation was adopted.

ADJOURNMENT

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at eight o'clock in the evening, of which public intimation was given and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

FOURTH SEDERUNT

At the same place, on the same day, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted by the Moderator leading in prayer.

COMMITTEE ON SABBATH SERVICES

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Sabbath Services. For the Committee, Dr. MacNamara reported, recommending that the Assembly appoint Dr. George H. Donald to preach in the Assembly Church in the morning, and Dr. M. B. Davidson to preach in the evening.

Upon motion, duly seconded, the report was received and adopted.

HOME MISSIONS

Dr. A. M. Hill, Convener of the General Board of Missions, introduced Mrs. Strachan, Treasurer of the Women's Missionary Society, W.D., who spoke of her recent visit to the Western Provinces, and described the work that is being carried on in various fields and institutions under the Society.

Dr. Hill then introduced Mr. C. J. MacKay of Kirkland Lake, who spoke of the situation in Northern Ontario. He referred to the rapid development of the work undertaken by the Church at Hawk Junction and Geraldton, and described the beginning and growth of the work at Kirkland Lake that resulted in the purchase of a lot and the erection of a Church.

He paid tribute to the fine Missionary spirit already manifest in this young congregation. Dr. Hill called upon Mr. C. E. Fisher of Grande Prairie in the Peace River District, who indicated the large extent of this territory, and referred to the great diversity of population. He briefly reviewed the history of the work in this area undertaken by the Church, and described the conditions at present existing, and the difficulties that have to be met. He appealed for men to share in the work in this large and difficult field.

Mr. G. S. Baulch of Wilkie, Saskatchewan, at the request of Dr. Hill, addressed the Assembly with reference to the survey undertaken last year in Northern Saskatchewan by Mr. Thomas Murphy of North Battleford. He appealed for further financial support by the Church for the Ministers labouring in difficult fields.

Dr. Hill then called upon Mr. Charles Steinmetz, Minister of the First Hungarian Church, Toronto, who spoke of the work carried on among the Hungarians in Toronto, and elsewhere, and referred to the many changes in the ranks of the Missionaries to the Hungarians in recent years. He spoke with appreciation of the cordial co-operation he has received and the encouragement in the work of erecting the new Church in Toronto. Mr. Steinmetz also referred to the Hungarian settlements around Tillsonburg, Aylmer and Delhi, and to visits there, in connection with the work of the Church, and the fine opportunity for Mission work that district offers.

The Moderator in the name of the Assembly thanked the speakers for their interesting and helpful addresses.

ADJOURNMENT

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place tomorrow at ten o'clock in the forenoon, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

FIFTH SEDERUNT

At Midland, and within Knox Church there, the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted, Mr. A. R. Skinner leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Business, which was given in and read by Mr. C. H. MacDonald, the Convener, who moved its reception and adoption. This, being seconded was agreed to, and the business of the Assembly was ordered accordingly.

BILLS AND OVERTURES

Dr. M. B. Davidson for the Committee submitted a further report dealing with certain overtures and recommended as follows:—

Overture Number 1. Appointment of Vice-Moderator, from Presbytery of Brockville. That it be sent directly to Assembly.

2. Retirement at 70, from Synod of Alberta. That the Moderator appoint a special committee to deal with this overture.

3. *Re* Bearing of College training on Lack of Vision, from Synod of Alberta. That it be referred to the Board of Education.

4. *Re* Making a Personal appeal, from Synod of Alberta. That it be referred to the Board of Missions.

5. and 9. *Re* Ordination of Mr. Geo. McKay, M.A., from Presbyteries of London and Saskatoon. Referred to the Board of Education.

6. and 12. Method of Electing Moderator. Presbytery of Montreal and Presbytery of Guelph. That the prayer of these overtures be granted and the committee appointed in accordance with its terms.

7. *Re* Becoming a Unit of the Christian Social Council. Presbytery of Hamilton. That it be referred to Committee on Evangelism, Church Life and Work.

8. *Re* Assistance for Accepted Students for the Ministry from Western Universities. Presbytery of Saskatoon. That it be referred to the Board of Administration.

10. *Re* Augmented Charges. Presbytery of Sarnia. That it be referred to the Board of Missions.

11. Appointment of Secretary for the General Board of Missions. Presbytery of Sarnia. That it be referred to the Board of Missions.

13. Regulations Governing Deaconesses. Presbytery of Peterborough. That it be referred to a special committee to be appointed by Moderator.

14. *Re* Advisory Committee to work with Presbyteries in Special Circumstances. Presbytery of Orangeville. That it be referred to a Special Committee to be appointed by Moderator.

15. *Re* Appointment of Assistants and Successors to Certain Officers of the General Assembly. Presbytery of Toronto. That it be referred to the committee dealing with overture Number 2.

16. *Re* Students from Colleges other than those of our own Church. Presbytery of Brockville. That it be referred to the Committee on Remits.

17. *Re* Payment of Student University Fees by the Church. Presbyteries of Ottawa and Lanark and Renfrew. That it be referred to the Board of Administration.

18. Retaining name of Dr. Buchanan on the Constituent Roll. Presbytery of Vindhiya and Satpura Mountain Bhil. That the prayer of the overture be granted.

19. To place name of Mr. J. B. Skene on the Constituent Roll. Toronto Presbytery. That the prayer of the overture be granted.

20. *Re* Minimum Stipend. Synod of Hamilton and London. That the Moderator be asked to appoint a special committee to consider this overture, in conference with the Board of Missions.

21. *Re* the Budget Funds. The Synod of Hamilton and London. That it be referred to the Budget and Stewardship Committee.

22. *Re* Erecting a Presbytery of Newfoundland. Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland. That it be remitted to the Synod of the Maritime Provinces with power to issue.

23. *Re* Placing name of T. O. Miller on Constituent Roll. Presbytery of Orangeville. That the prayer of the overture be granted.

24. *Re* Section 100. Book of Forms. Synod of Toronto and Kingston. That it be referred to the same committee with Overture 14.

26. *Re* The Pension Fund. Synod of Hamilton and London. That it be referred to the Moderator and Clerks of the Assembly.

27. *Re* Placing name of Dr. Geo. E. Ross on Constituent Roll. Presbytery of Montreal. That the prayer of the overture be granted.

28. *Re* Placing name of Mr. Wm. McLean on the Constituent Roll. Presbytery of Montreal. That the prayer of the overture be not granted.

29. *Re* Placing name of Dr. R. L. Ballantyne on the Constituent Roll. Presbytery of Montreal. That the prayer of the overture be granted.

Petition Number 7. *Re* Theological Students and Licentiates. Presbytery of Hamilton. That it be referred to the Board of Missions, to report on in connection with Recommendation 5 of their report.

Overtures to Place Names on Rolls

It was moved by Dr. T. W. Taylor, seconded by Mr. E. W. McNeill, and agreed that all overtures asking for permission to place names on Constituent Rolls of Presbytery be transmitted to a special Committee to be named by the Moderator.

Upon the motion of Dr. Davidson, duly seconded, the report with its recommendations was received and the recommendations were considered as follows:—

Re Overtures Nos. 6 and 12, as printed. *Re* Method of Electing the Moderator. The recommendation of the Committee was adopted.

Re Overture No. 1. *Re* Appointment of a Vice-Moderator. On motion of Mr. Pitts, duly seconded, it was agreed that this Overture be referred to the Committee appointed to consider printed Overtures Nos. 6 and 12 and to report to next Assembly.

Re Overture No. 22. To erect a Presbytery of Newfoundland.

The order of the day having arrived further consideration was deferred.

Delegates

Dr. S. Banks Nelson introduced to the General Assembly Dr. J. R. P. Sclater, representing the Moderator of the United Church of Canada, and Dr. Gordon A. Sisco, Secretary of The United Church of Canada, who were welcomed by the Moderator.

Dr. Sclater then addressed the Assembly expressing regret that the Moderator Dr. John W. Woodside was unable to be present, and conveyed the cordial greetings of The United Church of Canada. Dr. Sisco also briefly addressed the Assembly as representing the General Council of The United Church of Canada, and assured the Assembly of the good wishes of The United Church of Canada.

In the name of the Assembly the Moderator thanked Dr. Sclater and Dr. Sisco for their presence and for their cordial greetings.

Mr. A. C. Stewart introduced to the Assembly Rev. A. E. Ingram, who brought greetings from the Ministerial Association of Midland.

The Moderator in the name of the Assembly thanked Mr. Ingram for his presence, and for the greetings of the Ministerial Association conveyed by him.

COMMITTEE ON THE ROLL

Mr. D. McKay for the Committee submitted a further report, and recommended as follows:— That Mr. Harry H. McKee, Elder, be substituted for Mr. James Skene, Presbytery of Paris, and Mr. J. E. Pearen, Elder, for Mr. W. J. Gordon, Presbytery of Guelph.

Upon his motion, duly seconded, the report with its recommendations was received and adopted.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION

The Assembly called for the report of the Board of Administration, which as printed, was given in by Mr. C. M. Pitts, the Chairman, who moved that the report be received and its recommendations considered seriatim. The motion was seconded by Dr. M. A. Campbell and adopted.

DEATH OF DR. R. JOHNSTON, ST. CATHARINES

The Moderator announced to the Assembly the death of Dr. Johnston, of St. Catharines. It was agreed that Dr. W. M. Rochester be appointed to represent the General Assembly at the funeral.

GREETINGS FROM THE BAPTIST CONVENTION

The Moderator read a Message of Greetings from the Baptist Convention of Ontario and Quebec, "The Jubilee Assembly of The Baptist Convention of Ontario and Quebec receive with great joy your fraternal greetings and most heartily reciprocates your noble expressions of good will. We rejoice in the spirit of Christian unity which exists between both Communions and pray God's richest blessings upon your deliberations in Assembly."

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

The Moderator nominated, and the Assembly accepted, the following as the special committee on Resolutions:—

Dr. Robert Johnston (Convener), Dr. T. Eakin, Mr. A. L. Budge, Mr. F. G. Fowler, Ministers; and Mr. Alex. Fraser, Mr. T. P. Geggie, Judge J. G. Stanbury, Mr. R. Herrod, Elders.

MINUTES

The Minutes of the first, second, third and fourth Sederunts were presented in printed form and were sustained.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

For the Committee on Business, a verbal report was given in by Mr. C. H. MacDonald as to the order of business for the next Sederunt.

Upon the motion of Dr. T. Wardlaw Taylor, duly seconded, it was agreed unanimously that the report of the Board of the Missionary and Deaconess Training Home be the first order of business for the afternoon Sederunt, to be followed by the report of the Treasurer.

LEAVE TO SIT

The Bills and Overtures Committee was granted permission to sit during the next Sederunt.

ADJOURNMENT

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at half past two o'clock in the afternoon, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

SIXTH SEDERUNT

At the same place, on the same day, at half past two o'clock in the afternoon.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted, Dr. H. M. Paulin leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

SPECIAL COMMITTEES APPOINTED

The Moderator named the following, who were accepted by the Assembly as the Committees called for by the report of the Committee on Bills and Overtures.

Committee to consider and report on Overtures Nos. 1, 6 and 12. Dr. Robert Johnston (Convener); Principal Emeritus D. J. Fraser, Dr. T. Wardlaw Taylor, and former Moderators.

Committee on Overtures Nos. 2 and 15. Mr. A. R. Skinner (Convener), Mr. H. A. Berlis, Ministers: Judge J. G. Stanbury and Mr. George Beare, Elders.

REPORT OF THE MISSIONARY AND DEACONESS TRAINING HOME

The Assembly called for the report of the Board of the Missionary and Deaconess Training Home, which was given in by Mr. W. T. McCree, in the absence of Mr. Edgar Foreman, the Convener. Upon the motion of Mr. McCree, seconded by Mr. Robertson Millar, it was agreed that the report be received and its recommendation considered seriatim.

At the request of the Moderator Dr. Hugh Munroe took the Chair.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE *Re* MISS W. FERGUSON

Dr. Stuart C. Parker reported for the Special Committee appointed at last Assembly to confer with Miss W. Ferguson, as follows:—

"Your Committee was instructed to confer with Miss Winifred Ferguson regarding her resignation of the Principalship of the Deaconess Training Home, proferred to the General Assembly of 1938, and if possible to secure the continuance of her services.

Your Committee corresponded with Miss Ferguson, who for reasons of health was on leave of absence from her duties. It also met alone, and with representatives of the Board of the Deaconess Training Home, and with Miss Ferguson in person.

As a result of these conversations Miss Ferguson agreed to withdraw meanwhile the resignation she had tendered, and to resume for the session, 1938-1939, her duties as Principal, her health being much improved.

Throughout the past session Miss Ferguson accordingly continued her

work with the customary acceptance. On 24 March, 1939, however, she communicated again with your Committee, requesting that her resignation be accepted finally, and expressing gratitude for the confidence and loyalty shown to her by the Board of the Training Home.

In the circumstances your Committee could only meet her wishes, and the resignation was accepted with regret, and with sincere appreciation of the valuable work which Miss Ferguson has done for the Deaconess Training Home during her years as Principal."

Upon motion of Dr. Parker, duly seconded, the report was received and adopted.

The Moderator then resumed the Chair.

Miss Ferguson was invited to the platform and addressed the Assembly. She expressed her thanks for the period of rest and recreation granted to her last year. She then reviewed briefly the history of the Missionary and Deaconess Training Home, and the progress that has been made. Miss Ferguson explained the proposal to establish a Deaconess Sustaining and Retiring Fund.

The Moderator conveyed the thanks of the Assembly to Miss Ferguson.

Consideration was then given to the recommendation as printed. Mr. McCree moved, duly seconded, its adoption. This was agreed to, Mr. McCree submitted the following additional recommendation,

"The Board recommend that the President of the Deaconess Alumnæ be added to the *ex-officio* members of the Deaconess Board, as outlined on page 170 Book of Forms." This was agreed to.

Mr. W. T. McCree moved, duly seconded, and it was agreed, that the Board of the Missionary and Deaconess Training Home be given permission to fill the position of Principal temporarily and asked to nominate to next General Assembly a permanent appointment.

The report as a whole was then adopted.

Treasurer's Report

The Assembly called for the report of the Treasurer, which, together with the consolidated balance sheet as certified by the auditors, was submitted by Mr. E. W. McNeill, the Treasurer. Upon his motion, seconded by Mr. Pitts, it was agreed that the report be received and adopted.

Report of Budget and Stewardship Committee

The Assembly called for the report of the Budget and Stewardship Committee. This, together with a summary of Budget receipts tabulated by Presbyteries and Synods, was given in by Mr. Wm. Barclay, the Convener. Upon the motion of Mr. Barclay, duly seconded, the report was received and its recommendations considered seriatim.

The recommendations as printed were then considered in order and were adopted. Further consideration of the report was deferred to a later sederunt.

British and Foreign Bible Society

Rev. J. B. M. Armour, General Secretary of the British and Foreign Bible Society was welcomed by the Moderator, and addressed the Assembly

upon the work of the Society. He presented a bound copy of the Bible to the Moderator, and congratulated the Moderator upon his election to his present high office.

The Moderator thanked Mr. Armour for his interesting and informing address.

Dr. W. A. Cameron submitted the following resolution which, on his motion, duly seconded, was adopted.

"The General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada hears with thankfulness of the remarkable achievements of the British and Foreign Bible Society during a year of unparalleled international crises and tensions. The Assembly notes with particular satisfaction the Society's issue of Scriptures in Canada and Newfoundland. Recognizing the present challenge to the Christian faith and the principles for which it stands, the General Assembly once more heartily endorses the appeal of the Society to all its congregations, and would impress upon them the world's crying need for the Holy Scriptures in the languages of mankind."

The Lord's Day Alliance

Dr. George G. Webber, General Secretary of The Lord's Day Alliance of Canada, then addressed the Assembly upon the work of the Alliance, and appealed for the continued co-operation of the Church.

Mr. Walter Ellis submitted the following resolution, which upon his motion duly seconded was adopted.

"We desire to express our sincere thanks for all the Lord's Day Alliance is doing to secure the possibility of the due observance of the Lord's Day.

We recognize that the worthy observance of the Sabbath is one of the main pillars, not only of the effective ministry within our congregations, but of our National prosperity.

We are therefore doubly grateful for every effort made to promote the Glory of God in the safeguarding of the sanctity of His Holy Day.

We heartily commend the Lord's Day Alliance, and pray that God will guide and prosper it in all its work."

Report of the Board of Education

The Assembly called for the report of the Board of Education. This was given in and read by the Chairman, Dr. F. Scott Mackenzie.

Upon motion of Dr. T. Wardlaw Taylor, duly seconded, it was agreed to receive the report and to consider its recommendations seriatim. The report was as follows:—

1. Students Who Have Been Assigned Special Studies by Last General Assembly

Mr. Erik Larsen, Presbytery of Chatham. It is recommended that Mr. Larsen be given full standing as a minister of The Presbyterian Church in Canada when the necessary procedure in the notification of Presbyteries has been completed.

J. A. Smith, Presbytery of Montreal. It is recommended that he be permitted to complete his studies in Theology at Montreal College, and a report made to the Board of Education next year.

David Anderson, Presbytery of Hamilton. No report having been received as to his work during the past session, it is recommended that his case be dropped.

Gordon J. Troyer, Presbytery of Barrie. It is recommended that he be directed to continue his course under the direction of the Senate of Knox College.

Martin J. Bohn, Presbytery of Moose Jaw. It is recommended that his case be dropped, since he has not fulfilled the requirements of the last General Assembly.

H. K. Gilmour, Presbytery of Quebec. It is recommended that he be instructed to continue his reading course under the Senate of Montreal College as prescribed by last General Assembly, and, that he remain under the supervision of the Board of Missions until the course is satisfactorily completed.

H. A. Pritchard, Presbytery of Montreal. Having satisfactorily completed his year's work in Montreal College, it is recommended that permission be given to the Presbytery of Montreal to take Mr. Pritchard on trials for license.

J. H. Low, Presbytery of Edmonton, now in Presbytery of Red Deer. A communication having been received from the Clerk of the Presbytery of Red Deer that Mr. Low wishes to withdraw his application, no action is required.

J. Kenneth McCreary, Presbytery of Toronto. It is recommended that the application of the Presbytery of Toronto for the reception of Mr. McCreary be granted.

Eynon B. Nichol, Presbytery of London. It is recommended that he be permitted to continue his course, in terms of the resolution of last General Assembly.

2. Applications for Special Courses, with Recommendations

Gordon L. Collins, Presbytery of Edmonton. It is recommended that the application for a special course of study to be prescribed for Mr. Collins be not granted.

Norval Robertson, Presbytery of Stratford. It is recommended that the application for a course of study for Mr. Robertson be given consideration on presentation by him of matriculation certificates, or their equivalent in the following subjects: English, History, and Greek or Latin, or a subject in the field of Natural Science.

3. Application for Licensure; with Recommendation

Kenneth M. Glazier, B.A., B.D., Presbytery of Regina. It is recommended that the application of the Presbytery to take Mr. Glazier on trials for license be granted.

4. Application for the Reception of Ministers from Other Churches, with Recommendations

Rev. T. Christie Innes, M.A., Church of Scotland. Application by the Presbytery of Toronto. It is recommended that the application for the reception of Mr. Innes as a minister of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, be granted.

Rev. Donald MacLeod, United Church of Canada. Application by the Presbytery of Quebec. It is recommended that final action on this application be deferred until the next General Assembly, and, that in the meantime, the Board of Missions be permitted to arrange with Mr. MacLeod for the carrying on of the work in Val d'Or district.

Rev. A. L. Kennedy, United Church of Canada. Application by the Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland. It is recommended that this application be referred back to the Presbytery since the necessary relative documents are incomplete.

Rev. W. H. Brown, M.A. Application by the Presbytery of Montreal for the removal of further restriction in connection with his ordination. It is recommended that Mr. Brown be required to complete the work of the regular course in Theology according to the decision of the Assembly of 1936.

Rev. G. Sydney Barber, Presbyterian Church of U.S.A. Application by the Presbytery of Westminster. It is recommended that the application for the reception of Mr. Barber as a minister of the Presbyterian Church in Canada be granted.

Rev. J. H. Real d'Anjou, formerly a Priest in the Church of Rome. Application by the Presbytery of Miramichi. Your Board considers this application to be premature and, therefore, recommends that action thereon be deferred pending further information regarding the applicant. It is further recommended that the Presbytery of Miramichi be authorized to supervise Mr. d'Anjou's work, employing him in any way that commends itself to their good judgment and exercising care and oversight of the entire situation involved.

5. Recommendation *Re* Married Students

Your Board has given consideration to the problems frequently arising when students are married during their college course, and submits the following recommendation for the approval of the General Assembly:—

As preparation for the ministry is of sufficient importance to absorb all the time available for academic work, without distraction of any kind, the Board wishes to express its strong disapproval of the action of students in taking on matrimonial burdens and obligations before the completion of the requirements for ordination to the ministry.

The Application for the Reception of Ministers from Other Churches Were Then Considered

Rev. T. Christie Innes. The recommendation was adopted.

Rev. Donald MacLeod. It was moved in amendment by Dr. A. S. Reid duly seconded that this application be referred back to the Board of Education for further consideration. It was moved in amendment to the

amendment by Mr. Wm. Merrilees, duly seconded, that the application be not granted.

Upon the vote being taken as between the amendment to the amendment and the amendment, the amendment prevailed. Upon a further vote as between the motion and the amendment the latter prevailed, and the application was referred back.

REV. J. H. REAL D'ANJOU

Consideration of this application was deferred to a later Sederunt.

APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE

Kenneth M. Glazier, Presbytery of Regina. The recommendation was approved.

Further consideration of the report was deferred to a later Sederunt.

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

Mr. A. L. Budge, on behalf of the Committee on Resolutions submitted messages of sympathy to be forwarded to the relatives of the late Dr. Robert Johnston and to Rev. W. G. Brown, which upon his motion, duly seconded, were approved.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS

The committee on Business asked permission to present a supplementary report, providing for matters yet to be dealt with this day. This was given in and read by Mr. C. H. MacDonald, the Convener, and on his motion, duly seconded, adopted as follows:—

That the Committee on Bills and Overtures be granted permission to submit a further report at the opening of the evening Sederunt.

ADJOURNMENT

The General Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at eight o'clock this evening, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

SEVENTH SEDERUNT

At the same place, on the same day, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted, with prayer by the Moderator.

BILLS AND OVERTURES

Dr. M. B. Davidson for the committee submitted a further report, and recommended as follows:—

Number 5 of Petitions and Memorials Unprinted Petition from the Presbytery of London. *Re* Suit of Mr. M. G. Court. That it be referred to the Board of Administration in conference with the General Board of Missions.

Number 1 of Petitions and Memorials. Petition of Mr. George Rowland, through Presbytery of Montreal. Recommend that it be remitted to a special committee to be named by the Moderator.

Unprinted Overture No. 1 *Re* Ephraim Scott Memorial Church, from the Presbytery of Montreal. Refer to the Board of Administration.

Unprinted Overture No. 2 *Re* Sustentation Fund, from the Presbytery of Huron. Refer to Sustentation Fund Committee to deal with when they present their report.

Unprinted Overture No. 3 *Re* Arrears of Stipend, from the Presbytery of London. Refer to Committee dealing with printed Overture No. 20.

Unprinted Overture No. 4. To Place Name of Dr. Inkster on the Constituent Roll, from the Presbytery of Toronto. Refer to committee dealing with applications to place names on the Constituent Roll.

Unprinted Overture No. 5 *Re* Divorce, from the Presbytery of Edmonton. Refer to Committee on Evangelism, Church Life, and Work.

Memorial No. 3. A Theological Statement of the Present Situation, from the Presbytery of Paris. Refer to a committee to be appointed by the Moderator, to be considered in consultation with commissioners from the Presbytery of Paris.

Petition No. 4. From the Session of Strange, Eversley and King West, Presbytery of Toronto. Refer to the Board of Missions.

Upon his motion, duly seconded, the report with its recommendations was received and adopted.

FOREIGN MISSIONS

Dr. A. M. Hill, the Convener, introduced Miss M. F. Kennedy, who has been appointed to our field in India, by the W.M.S. (W.D.) and Miss Bessie M. MacMurchy, R.N., who is home on furlough from India. The Moderator welcomed Miss Kennedy and Miss MacMurchy, and assured them of the interest and sympathy of the Church in the work to which they have devoted their lives.

Dr. Hill called attention to some of the essentials for the preparation and training of workers in the Foreign field to meet present conditions.

Dr. Hill explained the inability of Miss Violet Tennant to be present on account of serious illness. He then introduced Rev. Philip Beattie, Secretary of the Student Christian Movement. Mr. Beattie addressed the Assembly, and outlined the movements leading up to the Foreign Missions Conference which was held at Tambaran near Madras in December, 1938. He referred to some of the outstanding features of the Madras Conference, the faith and vision manifest, the great contribution made by the delegates from the younger Churches. He called attention to the various types of work being carried on in the foreign fields by the Christian Churches, Evangelistic, Educational, Medical, and the remarkable progress manifest in these various fields of Christian enterprise.

Dr. Hill introduced Mr. George W. Mackay of Formosa, now on furlough. Mr. Mackay brought to the Assembly the cordial greetings of the Formosan Church, and referred to some of the changes taking place in the customs and standards of the people. He described some of the features, and products of the Island. He spoke also of the development of the native

Christian Church, along lines of self-government and self-support, and of the Evangelistic and Medical work being carried on.

Dr. Hill called upon Rev. A. A. Lowther who has recently returned from India. Mr. Lowther addressed the Assembly, calling attention to the Missionary responsibility of the Church, and the necessity of changing present methods to meet present conditions in foreign lands. He emphasized the primary importance of the Spiritual Message of the Gospel in this work, and referred to the great changes brought about in India through the Gospel message, even among the outcasts.

Upon motion of Mr. Budge, duly seconded, it was agreed that the Committee on Resolutions draft a message to be forwarded from this Assembly to the Church in Formosa, through Mr. G. W. Mackay.

The Moderator, in the name of the Assembly, thanked the speakers for their earnest and challenging messages.

ADJOURNMENT

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at ten o'clock tomorrow morning, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

EIGHTH SEDERUNT

At Midland, and within Knox Church there, the tenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment and was constituted, Mr. J. A. MacInnis leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Business which was given in and read by Mr. C. H. MacDonald, the Convener, who moved its reception and adoption. This being seconded was agreed to and the business of the Assembly was ordered accordingly.

SPECIAL COMMITTEES NAMED

The Moderator named, and the Assembly accepted, the following as Special Committees, called for by various resolutions:—

Overtures Numbers 18, 19, 23, 27, 28, 29 and unprinted Overture No. 4 *re* Dr. Inkster; Mr. A. R. Skinner, Convener; Dr. Allan S. Reid and Judge J. B. Moon.

OVERTURES NOS. 14 AND 24

Dr. Hugh Munroe, Convener; Mr. H. R. Pickup, Mr. R. G. McKay, Ministers; and Judge J. G. Stanbury and Mr. R. W. McGee, Elders.

JUDICIAL COMMITTEE ON PETITION No. 1, OF MR. GEORGE ROWLAND

Mr. W. T. McCree, Convener; Mr. H. A. Doig and Mr. Graham M. Jamieson, Ministers; Mr. J. H. Cameron and Mr. W. A. Wylie, Elders.

MEMORIAL No. 3 *Re* THEOLOGICAL STATEMENT

Principal F. Scott Mackenzie, Convener; Dr. George H. Donald, Dr. H. M. Paulin, Mr. Alex. Ferguson, Ministers; and Mr. C. M. Pitts, Elder.

BILLS AND OVERTURES

Dr. Davidson, for the Committee, submitted a further report and recommended as follows:—

Resolution from Synod of Montreal and Ottawa *re* Synodical Paper. That it be referred to the Committee on Evangelism and Church Life and Work.

Resolution from Synod of Montreal and Ottawa *re* College Fees, also Resolution from Presbytery of Prince Edward Island. That they be referred to the Committee on Remits.

Appeal and complaint from Dr. J. H. Woodside. That it be referred to a special committee to be named by the Moderator.

Printed Overture No. 25—*Re* Restoration of Mr. S. Robertson Orr, from the Presbytery of New Westminster. Recommend that this Overture be referred to a special committee to be named by the Moderator.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON THE PETITION *Re* RESTORATION OF MR. S. ROBERTSON ORR

The Moderator nominated, and the Assembly accepted the following as a Special Committee upon the Petition of the Presbytery of Westminster:—

Mr. David Scott, Convener; Mr. A. Gordon Maclean, Mr. A. R. Ferguson and Dr. J. H. Barnett, Ministers; and Dr. W. J. Clarke, Col. W. M. O. Lochead and Judge J. B. Moon, Elders.

Upon the motion of Dr. Davidson, duly seconded, the report with its recommendations was received and adopted. The report of the Committee as a whole, as amended, was adopted.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

The Assembly resumed consideration of the report of the Board of Education and its recommendations.

Rev. J. H. Real d'Anjou. A discussion followed. It was moved in amendment to the recommendation of the Board by Dr. Genge, seconded by Mr. J. M. Dickson, "That Mr. J. H. Real d'Anjou should receive some official recognition from the Assembly in any form it may deem fit."

It was moved in amendment to the amendment by Mr. W. T. McCree, duly seconded, that the matter be referred to the General Board of Missions to consider and report at a future Sederunt.

Upon the vote being taken the amendment to the amendment prevailed over the amendment. Dr. Nelson moved in amendment to the amendment, duly seconded, "That it be referred back to the Board of Education to be considered in view of the discussion which has taken place in the Assembly and in consultation with the Board of Missions."

Upon the vote being taken the amendment to the amendment prevailed over the amendment and the application was so remitted.

STUDENTS WHO HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED SPECIAL STUDIES

The recommendations of the Board were considered seriatim and were approved.

New Applications:— The recommendations were considered and approved.

Recommendation *re* Married Students. Referred back to the Board.

Dr. Mackenzie submitted a further report and recommended as follows:—

Application of the Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland, for the reception of Rev. A. L. Kennedy. In view of satisfactory evidence now in hand regarding his standing as a minister of the United Church of Canada, it is recommended that the application for the reception of Mr. Kennedy as a minister of The Presbyterian Church in Canada be granted.

It was moved in amendment by Dr. MacNamara, duly seconded, that this be referred back to the Board of Education, for further consideration. On the vote being taken the amendment prevailed, and the application was so remitted.

Overture No. 5. It is recommended that the prayer of the Overture from the Presbytery of London regarding the ordination of Mr. George W. Mackay, M.A., be granted and that the said Presbytery be given authority to ordain Mr. Mackay and designate him for his work in terms of his appointment by the Board of Missions. Approved.

Overture No. 9, Presbytery of Saskatoon. The prayer of this Overture is included in the terms of the above recommendation.

Further consideration of the report was deferred to a later Sederunt.

COMMITTEE ON CORRESPONDENCE

The Assembly resumed consideration of the report of the Committee on Correspondence with Other Churches, and consideration was given to the recommendation *re* "Refugees and Victims of Political Persecution" and to the amendment submitted at the second Sederunt.

Upon the vote being taken as between the motion and the amendment the motion prevailed, and the recommendation was adopted.

Re WORLD COUNCIL OF CHURCHES

Consideration was deferred to a later Sederunt.

REPRESENTATION TO THE ALLIANCE OF REFORMED CHURCHES, WESTERN SECTION

The recommendation was adopted.

REPORT OF VISIT OF THEIR MAJESTIES THE KING AND QUEEN TO OTTAWA

Dr. Malcolm A. Campbell was granted permission and reported on his visit to Ottawa, as representing the Church on the occasion of the visit of their Majesties the King and Queen.

Further consideration of the report was deferred to a later Sederunt.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF THE PENSION FUND

The Assembly called for the Report of the Board of the Pension Fund. This, together with a statement of the present position of the fund and a

list of the claims arising during the year, was presented by Mr. John Lindsay, the convener.

Upon motion, duly seconded, the reception and consideration of the report was adjourned until a later Sederunt.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON PETITION OF DR. J. H. WOODSIDE

The Moderator named, and the Assembly accepted, the following as a Special Committee on the Petition of Dr. J. H. Woodside:— Mr. Donald McKay, Convener, and Mr. C. E. Kidd, Ministers; and Mr. G. L. Sutherland, Elder.

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

Dr. R. Johnston for the Committee reported and submitted the following message of greetings to be forwarded to the Church in Formosa through Mr. G. W. Mackay.

To the Fathers and Brethren of the
Presbyterian Mission in North Formosa:

The General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, sitting in Midland, Ontario, was deeply moved by the message conveyed to it by Mr. George W. Mackay from the Presbyterian Mission in North Formosa.

Your greeting came in the spirit of warmest affection, as from a daughter-church to her mother, and it is the desire of the fathers and brethren here to send a message in return in similar terms.

You have conveyed to the Canadian Church your thanks for sending the Rev. Dr. George Leslie Mackay to you with the Glad Tidings of Salvation, and for the noble succession of missionaries up to this day. It was most cordially accepted and on our part. we also thank God for every remembrance of Him and of you, our fellow-members in Christ and workers together in His Church.

It is the Assembly's desire to make a record of it, that you may learn how your present leader, Mr. George W. Mackay, was welcomed home to the Church of his fathers, and in describing "Beautiful Formosa" how he led us again to see not only the loveliness of its mountains and plains but more particularly the evidences of the Christian graces in the character of your own ministers, elders and people.

"They that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament and they that turn many to righteousness as the stars for ever and ever."—Daniel 12: 3.

Upon his motion, duly seconded, the report with its recommendation was adopted.

LEAVE TO WITHDRAW

Permission to withdraw from further attendance on the Assembly was granted to Mr. Thomas Dodds, Elder.

ADJOURNMENT

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place on Monday, the twelfth day of June, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

NINTH SEDERUNT

At Midland, and within Knox Church there, the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment and was constituted, Dr. W. M. Rochester leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

Report of the Committee on Business

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Business, which was given in and read by Mr. C. H. MacDonald, the Convener, who moved its reception and adoption. This being duly seconded was agreed to, and the business of the Assembly for the day was ordered accordingly.

Report on Statistics and Finance

The Assembly called for the report on Statistics and Finance. This, together with detailed returns from Presbyteries and congregations and summary statements by Synods, was presented by the Clerk, Dr. J. W. MacNamara, who moved, duly seconded, that the report be received and adopted, and it was so agreed.

Report of Pension Board

Upon the call of the Assembly, Mr. Lindsay resumed the presentation of the report of the Board of the Pension Fund. He moved the reception of the report, and the consideration of the recommendations as printed. This was seconded and agreed to.

It was agreed to approve of the printed recommendations *re* "Retiring Ministers and Ministers' Widows."

Mr. Lindsay then submitted the following additional recommendations, which on his motion, duly seconded, were received and considered.

1. That the Rev. Daniel Leslie Oliver of the Presbytery of Westminster, age 70 years, with 20 years of service as a non-ratepaying minister be granted leave to retire with an annuity of $120.00 commencing June 1st, 1939.

2. That the Rev. H. P. S. Luttrell, B.A. of the Presbytery of Westminster, age 61 years, with 33 years of service as a non-ratepaying minister be granted leave to retire with an annuity of $183.15, commencing June 1st, 1939, and that this case be referred to the General Board of Missions for addition thereto and that it be also referred to the Dr. Ephraim Scott Fund for consideration.

3. That the Rev. Arthur John Back, of the Presbytery of Ottawa, age 71 years, with 29 years of service, be granted leave to retire with an annuity of $503.75, commencing June 1st, 1939.

4. That the Rev. W. M. Townsend, M.A., D.D. of the Presbytery of Saint John, age 74 years, with 40 years of service as a non-ratepaying minister be granted leave to retire with an annuity of $240.00, commencing June 1st, 1939.

5. That the Rev. Stuart Woods, B.A. of the Presbytery of Hamilton, age 70 years, with 33¼ years of service, be granted leave to retire with an annuity of $540.00, commencing August 31st, 1939.

6. That the Rev. Albert H. Leslie, of the Presbytery of Red Deer, age 74 years, with 20 years of service as a non-ratepaying minister be granted leave to retire with an annuity of $120.00 commencing June 1st, 1939.

7. That the Rev. E. C. Currie, of the Presbytery of Barrie, age 76 years, with 40 years of service, optional rate, be granted leave to retire with an annuity of $400.00, commencing June 1st, 1939.

8. That the Rev. H. Carmichael, of the Presbytery of Toronto, age 70 years, with 28 2/3 years of service, be granted leave to retire with an annuity of $500.83, commencing July 1st, 1939.

9. That the Rev. A. L. Burch, of the Presbytery of Toronto, be granted leave to retire, according to regulations, when his documents are received.

Dr. D. T. L. McKerroll was granted permission and addressed the Assembly, calling attention to the plan upon which the Pension Fund was established, and urged the co-operation of all Ministers, in connecting themselves with the fund, and in helping to carry out the aims of the fund, with reference to the payment of Annuities to Ministers and Minister's Widows.

After consideration, it was moved, duly seconded, that the report with its recommendations be adopted.

It was moved in amendment by Mr. A. R. Ferguson, seconded by Dr. S. B. Nelson, that the recommendation *re* Mr. H. P. S. Luttrell be referred back to the Board for further consideration, and to report.

Upon the vote being taken the amendment prevailed and the recommendation was so referred.

It was then moved in amendment to the motion to adopt by Mr. C. M. Pitts, seconded by Mr. McNeill, that the paragraph beginning "The Contribution to the fund" and ending "greatly" be deferred from the Pension Fund report until the report of the Board of Administration is adopted.

Upon the vote being taken the amendment prevailed.

Upon motion of Mr. Lindsay, duly seconded, the supplementary recommendations, with the exception of that concerning Mr. H. P. S. Luttrell were adopted.

Further consideration of the report was deferred to a later Sederunt.

Minutes

The Minutes of the eighth Sederunt were presented in printed form and were sustained.

Notice of Motion

Mr. John R. Waldie gave notice that at a future Sederunt he would move, "That a simplified explanation of the Pension Fund be sent by the Pension Board to every Minister of our Church who is not a member of the fund at present."

Notice of Motion

Dr. Malcolm A. Campbell gave notice that at a future Sederunt he would move "That in the report of the Board of Education the case of Mr. Harold Brown be re-considered."

LEAVE TO SIT

At their request, the Assembly granted leave to sit during the next Sederunt to the Committee on Printed Overture No. 25 "*Re* Restoration of Mr. S. Robertson Orr, Presbytery of Westminster."

ADJOURNMENT

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at half past two o'clock in the afternoon, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

TENTH SEDERUNT

At the same place, on the same day, at half past two o'clock in the afternoon.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted, Dr. S. Banks Nelson leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS

The Committee on Business asked permission to present a supplementary report, providing for matters yet to be dealt with this day. This was given in and read by Mr. C. H. MacDonald, Convener and on his motion, duly seconded, adopted, the order of business being amended accordingly.

APPEAL OF DR. J. H. WOODSIDE

For the Committee Mr. D. McKay reported and requested that he be relieved from serving on the Committee. This was granted, and the further form of the Committee was referred to the Moderator to consider and report.

LEAVE TO WITHDRAW

For the Special Committee on Leave, the Convener, Mr. D. McKay, reported recommending, and the Assembly agreed that permission to withdraw from further attendance be granted to the following Commissioners:—Dr. G. H. Donald, Mr. Chas. McDuff, Mr. Robertson Millar, Mr. John D. MacDonald, Mr. R. C. Rogers, Judge J. G. Stanbury, Mr. R. D. Currie and Mr. Robert Bain.

STANDING COMMITTEES

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee to Strike Standing Committees, which was presented by the Convener, Dr. A. S. Reid.

Dr. Hugh Munroe occupied the chair at the request of the Moderator.

Dr. A. S. Reid moved, duly seconded, and it was agreed that the report be received and referred back for further consideration.

The Moderator resumed the Chair.

TIME AND PLACE OF NEXT MEETING

The Assembly proceeded to consider the time and place of next meeting, when the Clerk presented letters of invitation from Knox Church, St. Catharines; from St. Andrew's Church, Kitchener; and from Riverdale Church, Toronto.

Judge J. G. Stanbury moved, seconded by Dr. James MacKay that the Assembly meet in Knox Church, St. Catharines, on the first Wednesday in June, 1940.

It was moved in amendment by Dr. M. B. Davidson, seconded by Col. Lochead, that the name of St. Andrew's, Kitchener, be substituted for Knox Church, St. Catharines.

By permission of the Assembly, Mr. R. J. Stewart addressed the Court, in support of the invitation from St. Andrew's, Kitchener.

Upon a vote being taken upon the amendment as against the main motion, the motion prevailed and the Assembly did thereupon unanimously resolve to meet in Knox Church, St. Catharines, on the first Wednesday in June, 1940, at eight o'clock in the evening.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON APPEAL OF DR. WOODSIDE

The Moderator named, and the Assembly accepted, the following as a Special Committee on the Petition of Dr. Woodside:— Dr. J. B. Paulin, Convener; Mr. Donald McKay, Mr. C. E. Kidd, Mr. W. A. J. Graham, Ministers; and Mr. G. L. Sutherland, Mr. T. P. Geggie, Mr. J. H. Cameron, Elders.

LEAVE TO SIT

Permission was granted to the Special Committee upon the appeal of Dr. Woodside to sit during this Sederunt.

GENERAL BOARD OF MISSIONS

Dr. A. M. Hill, Convener, submitted a further report and recommended as follows: To take the place of printed recommendation No. 1, "That in the case of students looking forward to work in the foreign field, authority be given to spend one year in some seminary, acceptable to the Senate of the College in which such student is studying, which offers specialized training for foreign mission workers, in lieu of one of the years usually required in our own College, the additional expense involved to be a charge upon the Board of Missions."

It was moved by Mr. McNeill, duly seconded, that the recommendation be adopted. This was agreed to.

Petition No. 7, Presbytery of Hamilton—*re* Theological Students and Licentiates, that we re-affirm our recommendation, that this rule be continued.

It was moved by Mr. McNeill, seconded by Dr. MacNamara, that the recommendation be approved. This was agreed to.

Upon motion of Mr. McNeill, duly seconded, the report with its recommendations, as amended, was adopted as a whole.

Dr. Hill then reported upon certain Overtures which had been referred to the General Board of Missions, and recommended, as follows:—

Overture No. 4—Synod of Alberta, *re* making personal appeals. That it be referred to the Budget and Stewardship Committee with our approval and with assurance of our co-operation.

Overture No. 10—Presbytery of Sarnia, *re* Augmented Charges. That the Board of Missions agrees with the principle laid down in this Overture

but would refer the matter again to the Presbytery of Sarnia to discover a less drastic method for its application.

Overture No. 11—Presbytery of Sarnia—Appointment of Secretary of the Board of Missions. That this matter has already been placed in the hands of a special committee at last Assembly. Recommend that this be dealt with when the report of that Committee is considered.

On motion, duly seconded, the recommendations as submitted were approved.

Re HUNGARIAN WORK, WINDSOR

Recommendation *re* Mr. Stephen Fazekas—Hungarian Work. The General Board of Missions would ask the General Assembly to instruct the Presbytery of Chatham to license and ordain Mr. Stephen Fazekas for Hungarian Work in Windsor. This was approved.

EVANGELISM AND CHURCH LIFE AND WORK

The Assembly called for the Report of the Committee on Evangelism and Church Life and Work, which was given in by Mr. J. B. Thomson, the Convener. Upon the motion of Mr. G. M. Young, duly seconded, it was agreed to receive the report and to consider its recommendations seriatim.

The recommendations were then considered and dealt with as follows:

No. 1. As printed was adopted.

No. 2. It was moved duly seconded, that the recommendation as printed be adopted.

It was moved in amendment, duly seconded, that it be deleted.

Upon the vote being taken the motion prevailed and the recommendation as printed was adopted.

No. 3. It was agreed that the recommendation be divided. The first part as printed was adopted. The second part referring to beverage rooms was referred back to the Committee to consider and report later. The third part was also referred back.

No. 4. As printed, was adopted.

No. 5. Further consideration was deferred to a later Sederunt.

SPECIAL COMMITTEES

The Moderator named and the Assembly approved the following Committees:—

Overture No. 13—*Re* Regulations Governing Deaconesses: Principal F. Scott Mackenzie, Mr. H. A. Berlis, Mr. W. T. McCree, Ministers; Dr. W. J. Clarke, Mr. Jas. Wilson, Elders.

Overture No. 20—*Re* Minimum Stipend and Unprinted Overture No. 3 *re* Arrears of Stipend: Dr. S. Banks Nelson, Mr. John Galloway, Mr. C. L. Cowan, Ministers; Mr. George Beare and Judge J. G. Stanbury, Elders.

Petition and Memorial No. 3—A Theological Statement of the present situation: Mr. J. A. MacInnis, Convener, in place of Dr. F. Scott Mackenzie.

ADJOURNMENT

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at eight o'clock this evening, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

ELEVENTH SEDERUNT

At the same place, on the same day, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment and was constituted with prayer by the Moderator.

REPORT OF SABBATH SCHOOLS AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES

The Assembly having called for the Report of the Board of Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies, it was given in, together with the summary of the Statistical Reports of Presbyteries, by Mr. E. A. Thomson, the Chairman. Dr. M. B. Davidson moved, duly seconded, and it was agreed that the report be received and its recommendations considered seriatim.

The recommendations were then considered and dealt with as follows:

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, were adopted, as printed.

No. 9. It was moved by Dr. Davidson, seconded by Mr. Andrew Walker, that this recommendation be adopted.

At this point a letter was read from Dr. W. M. Kannawin, submitting his resignation in the following terms:

To the Venerable the General Assembly:—

I hereby tender my resignation as General Secretary of the Board of Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies, this resignation to take effect when, and as, the General Assembly and the Board of Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies may determine.

W. M. KANNAWIN.

The Church Offices,
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It was moved by Mr. McNeill, seconded by Dr. Munroe, and agreed that the letter, together with recommendation No. 9, be laid on the table.

Recommendations Nos. 10 and 11 as printed, were adopted.

Further consideration of the report was deferred to a later Sederunt.

Mr. E. A. Thomson introduced Mr. D. Firth, Vice-President of the Ontario Provincial Young People's Societies, who gave a review of the activities of the organization.

The Moderator, in the name of the Assembly, thanked Mr. Firth for his address, and assured him of the sympathy and co-operation of the Church in the work the Young People are undertaking.

Mr. C. J. MacKay of Kirkland Lake was invited to the platform and addressed the Assembly, speaking on the temptations of Christ. The Moderator, on behalf of the Assembly, and of the Young People present, thanked Mr. MacKay for his earnest message.

Information Regarding the Work of the Church

The Moderator explained plans that are being carried out to prepare information regarding the work of the Church in the form of moving films, in connection with the Budget and Stewardship Committee.

At the request of the Moderator, Dr. H. Munroe occupied the chair.

Films were shown illustrating some phases of Church work.

Special Committee

The Moderator submitted and the Assembly accepted the following:

On Committee Overture No. 20 and unprinted Overture No. 3 substitute Mr. Geo. Dix for Mr. C. L. Cowan and Mr. C. Graham Jones for Mr. John Galloway.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place tomorrow at ten o'clock in the forenoon, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

TWELFTH SEDERUNT

At Midland, and within Knox Church there, the thirteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment and was constituted with prayer by the Moderator.

Report of the Committee on Business

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Business, which was given in and read by Mr. C. H. MacDonald, the Convener, who moved its reception and adoption. This being duly seconded was agreed to, and the business of the Assembly for the day was ordered accordingly.

It was moved by Dr. Nelson and seconded that speeches be limited to five minutes except in case of those introducing a report. Agreed.

Evangelism and Church Life and Work

The Assembly resumed consideration of the report. The Convener, Mr. J. B. Thomson, submitted the following recommendation in place of part 2 of printed recommendation. Recommendation No. 3, "We are aware that the beverage rooms are a menace to the moral welfare, and we would strongly support any effort to secure their abolition."

It was moved and seconded that this be adopted. It was moved in amendment by Mr. Ernest Ross, duly seconded, "That we formulate a plan to remove profit from the liquor traffic and press for the adoption of the same in every Province in Canada at the earliest possible opportunity."

Upon the vote being taken the amendment prevailed.

Upon a further vote this became the recommendation and was adopted.

Part three of No. 3 was withdrawn by permission.

Recommendation No. 5, its adoption was moved and seconded, but after discussion it was agreed that the recommendation be amended to read:—

"That the General Assembly, while gratefully acknowledging what has been done by the C. B. C. to improve Sunday broadcasts would nevertheless protest through the National Religious Advisory Council against the time and character of broadcasts injurious to Church and Sunday School services," and as so amended was adopted.

No. 6. It was moved, seconded and agreed, that the recommendation be adopted with the deletion of the words "As we now have it."

No. 7. Dr. R. Johnston moved the adoption of the recommendation, seconded by Dr. Nelson. This was agreed to.

Dr. R. Johnston moved, duly seconded, in connection with the recommendation No. 7, "That it be left with the Committee on Church Life and Work to appoint the representatives of our Church to the Christian Social Service Council of Canada." This was agreed to.

No. 8. Its adoption was moved and seconded. It was moved in amendment by Mr. McNeill, duly seconded, "That the matter of having a Hymn Book to be used by the young people be referred to the Board of Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies for consideration and to report to next Assembly.

Upon the vote being taken the amendment prevailed and on a further vote was adopted in place of the recommendation as printed.

The following additional recommendation was submitted by Mr. H. A. Berlis, seconded by Dr. J. G. Inkster, and adopted.

"That the General Assembly call upon the members and adherents of The Presbyterian Church in Canada to give serious attention to the menacing danger of national unemployment, commend to them the vital necessity of using every gift and opportunity to create a better economic and industrial situation in Canada, and enjoin the ministers of our Church to urge upon their parishioners the necessity of earnest and concerted effort to provide work for the unemployed."

The report as a whole, as amended, was adopted.

Appointment of Secretary to General Board of Missions

Dr. Shortt in the absence of the Convener, Dr. N. A. MacLeod, reported, and requested a further place on the docket. This was agreed to.

Board of Education

Dr. F. Scott Mackenzie for the Board submitted a further report and recommended as follows:

Re application on behalf of Rev. A. L. Kennedy. Your Board has given further consideration to this application, and recommends that action thereon be deferred for one year, and that Presbyteries be permitted to employ him by appointment in the meantime. This was approved.

Re Overture No. 3—Synod of Alberta. Your Board, having conferred with commissioners from the Synod of Alberta, presents the following recommendation:— The Assembly assures the Synod of Alberta of its

confidence that the Colleges are doing all in their power to meet the needs of all sections of the church, and would welcome at all times a direct presentation of the claims of the West. This was approved.

Re Married Students. Your Board recommends that the preamble to the paragraph dealing with this subject in the original report be deleted, so that the paragraph will read as follows:— It is recommended that the Assembly express its strong disapproval of the action of students in taking upon themselves matrimonial responsibilities before the completion of the requirements for ordination to the ministry. This was approved.

Re application on behalf of Rev. J. H. Real d'Anjou. It is recommended that action on this application be deferred pending further information regarding the applicant. It is further recommended that authority be given to the Presbytery of Miramichi, in co-operation with the Board of Missions, to supervise Mr. d'Anjou's work employing him in any way that commends itself to their good judgment and exercising care and oversight of the entire situation involved. It was moved in amendment, duly seconded, "That the matter be remitted to the Board of Education with Dr. Allan S. Reid and Mr. Norman D. Kennedy associated with them and to report.

On the vote being taken the amendment prevailed and the recommendations were so remitted.

Re application of the Presbytery of Quebec on behalf of Rev. Donald MacLeod. Your Board, in consultation with representatives from the Board of Missions, has given further consideration to this application, and now recommends that final action thereon be deferred until the next General Assembly, and that in the meantime the Board of Missions be authorized to use the services of Mr. MacLeod until such time as they can make other satisfactory arrangements for the carrying on of the work. This was adopted.

Re Mr. W. Harold Brown

Dr. Malcolm A. Campbell submitted the motion of which he gave notice at a previous Sederunt, and moved that the report of the Board of Education *re* Mr. W. Harold Brown be re-considered. This was seconded and agreed to.

Dr. F. Scott Mackenzie submitted a report regarding the progress made by Mr. Brown in the course prescribed by the Board.

Dr. Campbell moved, seconded by Dr. Nelson, that the application of the Presbytery of Montreal on behalf of Mr. W. Harold Brown be granted.

Mr. C. G. Graham moved in amendment, duly seconded, that the recommendation of the Board of Education be adopted.

On the vote being taken the amendment prevailed, and became the main motion.

Dr. James MacKay moved in amendment, duly seconded, "That Mr. Brown be permitted to take the remainder of his course extra murally."

Upon the vote being taken the amendment prevailed over the motion and became the judgment of the Court.

Leave to Withdraw

For the Special Committee on Leave, the Convener, Mr. D. McKay, reported recommending and the Assembly agreed that permission to withdraw from further attendance be granted to the following Commissioners:— Mr. G. W. Mingie, Mr. H. R. Pickup, Mr. A. W. Skinner and Mr. Charles McLeod.

Minutes

The Minutes of the ninth, tenth and eleventh Sederunts were presented in printed form and were sustained.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at half past two o'clock in the afternoon, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

THIRTEENTH SEDERUNT

At the same place, on the same day, at half past two o'clock in the afternoon.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted, Mr. H. A. Berlis leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

Committee on Business

For the Committee on Business, the Convener, Mr. C. H. MacDonald, asked permission to bring in an additional report, which being granted, he moved the amendment of the order of business adopted at the morning Sederunt, and upon a unanimous vote it was so ordered.

Board of Education

Recommendation *re* Rev. J. H. Real d'Anjou. Dr. Mackenzie submitted a further report and submitted the following recommendation:— "It is recommended that action on this application be deferred, pending further information regarding the applicant. It is further recommended that authority be given to the Presbytery of Miramichi, in co-operation with the Board of Missions, to supervise Mr. d'Anjou's work, employing him in any way that commends itself to their good judgment, and exercising care and oversight of the entire situation involved. And further that, recognizing the validity of Mr. d'Anjou's ordination, he be authorized to celebrate the Sacraments of the Church, and that the Presbytery of Miramichi be advised to arrange with the Synodical Missionary, Dr. A. S. Reid, or some other minister in the Province of Quebec for the performance and registration of Acts of Civil Status."

It was moved by Mr. George Beare, seconded by Mr. Wm. Thomas, and agreed, that the recommendation be adopted.

The report as a whole, as amended, was adopted, on motion, duly seconded.

The Presbyterian College, Montreal

The Assembly called for the reports of the Board and Senate of the Presbyterian College, Montreal.

The Report of the Board, together with a financial statement, duly audited, was presented by Dr. A. M. Hill, in the absence of the chairman, Mr. Fraser S. Keith. Upon the motion of Dr. Hugh Munroe duly seconded, it was agreed to receive the report, and consider the recommendation.

Dr. Munroe moved, duly seconded, that the recommendation as printed be adopted.

It was moved in amendment by Dr. Taylor, duly seconded, that this recommendation be laid on the table. Upon the vote being taken to lay on the table, it was so ordered.

The report as a whole, as amended, was adopted on motion of Dr. Munroe, duly seconded.

The report of the Senate was presented by the Principal, Dr. F. Scott Mackenzie. Upon motion of Mr. James Wilson, duly seconded, the report was received and adopted.

Report on Overtures Nos. 18, 19, 23, 27, 28, 29, and Unprinted Overture *Re* Dr. Inkster

Mr. A. R. Skinner for the Committee to whom these Overtures were referred, reported and recommended as follows:—

Special Committee on printed Overtures Nos. 18, 19, 23, 27, 28, 29 and unprinted Overture No. 4:—

No. 18. From Presbytery of Vindhiya and Satpura Mountain, Bhil, to retain name of Rev. John Buchanan, D.D., on the Constituent Roll of Presbytery. We recommend that the prayer of the Overture be granted. This was approved.

No. 23. Presbytery of Orangeville, placing the name of Rev. T. O. Miller on the Constituent Roll of Presbytery. Recommended that the prayer of the Overture be granted. This was approved.

No. 27. Presbytery of Montreal, to place the name of Dr. George E. Ross on the Constituent Roll of Presbytery. Recommended that the prayer of the Overture be granted. This was approved.

No. 29. Presbytery of Montreal, to place name of Rev. R. L. T. Ballantyne, D.D., on the Constituent Roll of Presbytery. Recommended that the prayer of the Overture be granted. This was approved.

Unprinted Overture No. 4. Presbytery of Toronto to retain the name of Dr. J. G. Inkster on the Constituent Roll when his resignation is accepted. Recommended that the prayer of the Overture be granted. This was approved.

No. 19. Presbytery of Toronto, to place the name of Mr. J. B. Skene, B.A., Clerk of Presbytery on the Constituent Roll.

No. 28. Presbytery of Montreal, to place the name of Mr. Wm. McLean on the Constituent Roll of Presbytery. The Committee agreed to bring these two simpliciter before the Assembly, which we now do.

No. 19. Presbytery of Toronto, *re* Mr. J. B. Skene. It was moved by Judge J. B. Moon, seconded by Mr. Wm. Thomas, that the prayer of the Overture be granted.

At the request of the Moderator, Dr. R. Johnston occupied the Chair, while Dr. Parker supported the Overture.

The Moderator then resumed the Chair.

Upon the vote being taken the motion was defeated.

No. 28. Presbytery of Montreal, *re* Mr. Wm. McLean. It was moved by Mr. David Scott, duly seconded, that the prayer of the Overture be granted. Upon the vote being taken the motion was defeated.

The report of the Committee, as amended, was adopted as a whole.

Appeal of Dr. M. M. MacOdrum

Mr. G. S. Lloyd, for the Committee appointed at last Assembly reported, and submitted the following as the recommendations of the Committee:—

Recommendations

1. That the first dissent and complaint of Dr. MacOdrum be not received by the General Assembly.

2. That the second dissent and complaint of Dr. MacOdrum be not received by the General Assembly.

3. That the Westminster congregation, now organized and functioning, be allowed to continue.

Mr. Lloyd further submitted the following as an additional recommendation:—

"That the Assembly appoint a Committee to confer with the Sydney Committee regarding the general situation obtaining in the Presbytery."

It was moved by Mr. N. D. Kennedy, duly seconded, and agreed, that the entire report be received and considered.

Mr. W. T. McCree moved, seconded by Dr. Mark, and it was agreed, "That the recommendation of the Committee that Assembly appoint a small Committee to confer with the special Committee be granted, and that discussion be deferred until after this Committee reports."

Church Worship and Book of Common Order

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Church Worship and Committee of Book of Common Order, which was presented by the Convener, Mr. C. L. Cowan. Upon the motion of Mr. McNeill, the report was received and its recommendations considered.

Upon the further motion of Mr. McNeill, it was agreed to adopt the recommendations as follows:—

1. That the thanks of the Assembly be extended to the Presbyterian Publications for the excellence of its mechanical work on the book. The Assembly's thanks are also due to the Committee on having completed its work, which, of necessity, had to be hurried.

2. That the Committee on the Book of Common Order be now discharged. And this Committee was so discharged with the thanks of the Assembly.

Appeal and Complaint of Dr. Woodside

For the Committee Dr. J. B. Paulin requested leave to report, which was granted. It was agreed that the Assembly sit in camera during the hearing of this report. Dr. Paulin reported as follows:

"Your Committee appointed to deal with the appeal and complaint of Rev. J. H. Woodside, LL.D., against the action of the Presbytery of Orangeville, inasmuch as it suspended him from the office of the Christian Ministry, begs to report as follows:

The Committee, after hearing representations of the appellant, in support of this appeal, and also representatives of the Presbytery in support of its action, and having examined all documents and records thereto pertaining, has arrived at the conclusion that the Presbytery of Orangeville was justified in its action in suspending from the Ministry of the Church the Rev. J. H. Woodside, LL.D.

Dr. Woodside has appealed against the judgment of Presbytery, on the ground that it did not conform with the laws of the Church in its action, inasmuch as section 101 of the Book of Forms states: 'Complaints or appeals on points of form or regarding the manner in which a Court conducts its business do not arrest proceedings, and the Court, notwithstanding these, prosecutes the matter until it is ripe for judgment; but final judgment must not be given on the case until all such complaints and appeals have been disposed of by the higher Court.'

The Presbytery of Orangeville defends its action by reference to section 100 of the Book of Forms, which states:—

'The effect of a complaint or appeal is to arrest execution of the judgment pronounced until the matter be reviewed by the higher Court. But if the reasons for complaint or appeal are deemed frivolous or vexatious, the Court may resolve to disregard the complaint or appeal, and may proceed in the case; such action, however, may be appealed against, and the Court, if it has acted improperly, is liable to censure by the higher Court.'

It is the judgment of your Committee that this section 100 of the Book of Forms gives the Presbytery wide discretionary powers and it is the opinion of the Committee that the Presbytery acted in good faith.

We therefore recommend to the Assembly that the action of the Presbytery be sustained and the appeal disallowed."

Dr. Paulin moved, duly seconded, and it was agreed, that the report with its recommendations be received and considered.

Dr. Woodside appeared in his own right, and addressed the Assembly.

It was moved by Dr. T. W. Taylor, seconded by Mr. C. Graham Jones, (First) "That the Assembly accept the recommendation of the Judicial Committee sustaining the judgment of the Orangeville Presbytery." This was adopted. (Second) "But that, in view of Dr. Woodside's expression of sincere regret for past faults, the suspension be now lifted with a view to his finding some field of further service in the Church." This was adopted.

The report of the Committee was then adopted.

Dr. Woodside was recalled, and the decision of the Assembly was communicated to him by the Moderator. The Moderator then engaged in prayer. Dr. Woodside thanked the Moderator for the consideration shown to him by the Assembly.

Appeal of Dr. M. M. MacOdrum

The Moderator submitted and the Assembly accepted the following as a Committee to confer and advise with the Committee in *re* the Appeal of Dr. M. M. MacOdrum:—Dr. M. B. Davidson, Dr. Malcolm A. Campbell, Dr. H. M. Paulin, Mr. George Beare and Mr. James Wilson.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at eight o'clock in the evening, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

FOURTEENTH SEDERUNT

At the same place, on the same day, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted, Dr. W. A. Cameron leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

Standing Committees

Dr. A. S. Reid for the Committee submitted an amended report, which after consideration was referred back.

Printed Overture No. 25 *Re* Mr. S. Robertson Orr

Mr. David Scott for the Committee appointed to consider the Overture from the Presbytery of Westminster *re* Restoration of Mr. S. Robertson Orr requested permission to report, and asked that the Assembly sit alone.

It was agreed, upon motion duly seconded, that consideration of this report be deferred to the morning Sederunt tomorrow.

Loyal Addresses

For the Committee on Resolutions Dr. R. Johnston submitted the following address to the King, which upon his motion, seconded by Judge J. G. Stanbury, was adopted.

"The General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada is exceedingly pleased to express again to Your Person and Throne that fervent loyalty which is embedded in her standards and has been her traditional attitude towards the British Crown.

May it please Your Majesty to learn that the visit, along with Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth, has been to this Continent of America like the clearing of the sky when storm clouds have been overhead.

We wish to assure you that no portion of your people in the whole of this Dominion has been more greatly heartened by Your presence and addresses than the members and adherents of The Presbyterian Church and none will keep praying more constantly for the safety of the Royal Party until they return home, and for the Royal House throughout Your glorious reign.

It may not be out of place to remind you of that doctrine, the Sovereignty of God, which has sustained our courage and hope in great trials, and to state as our clear conviction that the Supreme Ruler has raised you up for such a time as this. And therefore we sing and pray 'God save our gracious King'."

Dr. Johnston then submitted the following address to His Excellency Lord Tweedsmuir, Governor-General of Canada. Upon his motion, duly seconded, the report was adopted.

"The General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada has at this Sederunt enthusiastically approved a loyal address to His Majesty the King, and the Assembly requests you, as the King's Representative, to forward this to His Majesty.

Permit us, Your Excellency, to express the very great satisfaction and thankfulness to God, that as the Governor-General of this Dominion you have on every occasion set such a fine example by word and life as a loyal servant of the Crown and devout member of the Church.

We hope and pray that your term of office may bring with it ever increasing happiness to you and the Lady Tweedsmuir."

Board of Administration

The Assembly resumed consideration of the report of the Board of Administration with its recommendations. The recommendations as printed were then submitted by Mr. C. M. Pitts, Convener, and were dealt with as follows:— Nos. 1 to 6 as printed were approved.

No. 7. Mr. Pitts moved, seconded by Mr. McNeill, the adoption of this recommendation.

The hour of adjournment having arrived further consideration of the report was deferred to a later Sederunt.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place, at ten o'clock tomorrow morning, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

FIFTEENTH SEDERUNT

At Midland, and within Knox Church there, the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted, Dr. James MacKay leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

Report of the Committee on Business

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Business, which was given in and read by Mr. C. H. MacDonald, the Convener, who moved its reception and adoption. This, being seconded, was agreed to, and the business of the Assembly was ordered accordingly.

Overture No. 25, Presbytery of Westminster

Mr. David Scott reported for the Committee to whom this Overture was remitted, and recommended, as follows:—

1. That the prayer of the Overture to restore Mr. S. Robertson Orr immediately to the Ministry of The Presbyterian Church in Canada be not granted.

2. The Committee further recommend that the ban of deposition imposed by the General Assembly in 1928 be lifted.

3. The Committee still further recommend that Mr. S. Robertson Orr be continued under the sentence of suspension from the Ministry of the Church for a period of two years, at the expiry of which period, the crave for restoration be again considered by the General Assembly.

4. The Committee finally recommend that, should Mr. S. Robertson Orr decide to leave the bounds of The Presbyterian Church in Canada within the said period of suspension he be granted an historical certificate to be prepared and issued by the Clerk of the General Assembly.

Mr. David Scott moved, seconded by Mr. W. Gordon Maclean, that the report be received and its recommendations considered. This was agreed to. Mr. Scott then spoke to the report.

Mr. Ernest Ross moved, seconded by Mr. H. R. Wilson, that the report be adopted.

It was moved in amendment by Dr. Nelson, duly seconded, that the words in the third paragraph "For a period of two years" be changed to read "For a period of one year".

Upon the vote being taken as between the amendment and the motion, the amendment was lost.

The motion to adopt the report was then put and carried unanimously.

The Moderator thanked the Committee for their diligence in this matter.

Appointment of a Secretary of the General Board of Missions

Dr. Shortt for the Special Committee, in the absence of the Convener, Dr. N. A. MacLeod, reported as follows:—

Your Committee was appointed in pursuance of a resolution of the Board of Missions, which was adopted by the General Assembly of last year, and which reads as follows: (page 50, 51, Minutes of Assembly) "At a meeting of the General Board of Missions, held on Tuesday June 7th, 1938, it was agreed to present the following resolution to the General Assembly: *Re* the appointment of a Secretary of the General Board of Missions, at the 1939 Assembly; That a small committee be appointed by the Moderator to review the reports received from the Presbyteries for the nomination of a Secretary of the General Board of Missions, and, if called for, bring in a recommendation to the next Assembly, with a view to receiving unanimity."

You will find the summary of the returns from Presbyteries as printed on page No. 79 of the Stitched Reports. From this you will see that 36 out of 47 Presbyteries have made nominations. Fifteen Presbyteries have favored one nominee. The votes of twenty-one Presbyteries have been distributed among eight other nominees. One Presbytery has agreed to take no action, and ten Presbyteries have made no returns.

In calling attention to the above facts your Committee might be regarded as having discharged its duty. It will be noted, however, that the General Assembly, in appointing the Committee, instructed it not only "to review the reports received from Presbyteries", but also "If called for, to bring in a recommendation to the next Assembly with a view to receiving unanimity." We would point out the following:

1. The reports received reveal a lack of unanimity throughout the Presbyteries of the Church on the matter of a nominee for Secretary of the General Board of Missions.
2. Unanimity on this matter, though not revealed in the returns from Presbyteries, might be achieved in the General Assembly itself, should the Assembly on the basis of the reports received decide to make unanimous the appointment of the nominee who secured the highest number of nominations.
3. If the unanimity so much desired cannot be obtained in that way, it would seem, that the whole question should go back to the Board of Missions for action, in accordance with their undoubted authority under Section one of the Regulations governing Boards of the Church.

Mr. W. A. J. Graham moved, duly seconded, that the report be received and considered. This was agreed to.

It was moved by Dr. Nelson, seconded by Dr. T. W. Taylor, "That the returns from Presbyteries on nominations be sent to the General Board of Missions, to report or nominate if they do so wish to this Assembly." Upon the vote being taken the motion was lost.

Dr. M. A. Campbell moved, seconded by Mr. H. A. Berlis, that the Assembly proceed at once to make an appointment. This was agreed to.

The Moderator then called for nominations. Mr. G. L. Sutherland nominated Dr. W. A. Cameron. This was supported by Dr. James MacKay.

Mr. Wm. Barclay nominated Dr. A. S. Reid. This was supported by Dr. Hugh Munroe.

Mr. C. J. MacKay nominated Mr. W. M. Mackay. This was supported by Mr. T. Owen Hughes.

On motion of Mr. McNeill, duly seconded, it was agreed that the Assembly continue to sit until one o'clock at this Sederunt. This was agreed to.

Mr. Graham Jamieson moved, duly seconded, that nominations be closed. This was agreed to.

It was agreed that an immediate vote be taken and that the vote be taken by ballot.

Upon the vote being taken, it was announced as being in favour of Dr. W. A. Cameron.

Upon motion of Mr. Barclay, seconded by Dr. Hugh Munroe, it was agreed by a standing vote that the nomination be made unanimous.

The Moderator then called Dr. Cameron and conveyed to him the call of the Church to the office and duties of Secretary of the General Board of Missions.

Dr. Cameron thanked the Assembly for the honour conferred upon him and accepted the office to which he had been appointed.

Board of S.S. and Y.P.S.

Dr. M. B. Davidson for the Board submitted a further report and recommended as follows:— "That the Assembly place on record its deep appreciation of the long and faithful service rendered to the youth of our Church by the Secretary of the Board of Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies, and appoint a committee to consult with Dr. Kannawin as to when and under what conditions his resignation take effect; that Committee to consist of Mr. E. A. Thomson, Mr. D. P. Rowland, Mr. E. W. McNeill, and the Moderator of the Assembly."

Upon his motion, duly seconded, the recommendation was adopted.

He further moved, duly seconded, that recommendation No. 9, as printed, be adopted. This was agreed to.

Dr. MacEachern, by permission, addressed the Assembly upon the work carried on by Presbyterian Publications, and presented the Moderator with embossed copies of the Book of Forms and of the Book of Common Order. The Moderator thanked Dr. MacEachern for his message and for the gifts. Recommendation No. 12 as printed was then adopted.

Upon motion of Dr. Davidson, duly seconded, it was agreed that the report of the Board of Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies, as amended, be adopted as a whole.

Report on Assembly and Synod Records

The Clerk reported for the various Committees entrusted with the examination of the records of the Assembly and Synods (other than Saskatchewan) recommending that these be attested.

Upon his motion it was agreed that the records submitted be attested and that the Synod of Saskatchewan be enjoined to submit its records for examination by the next Assembly.

MINUTES

The Minutes of the twelfth, thirteenth and fourteenth Sederunts were presented in printed form and were sustained.

ADJOURNMENT

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at half past two o'clock in the afternoon, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

SIXTEENTH SEDERUNT

At the same place, on the same day, at half past two o'clock in the afternoon.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted, Mr. W. G. Maclean leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

MESSAGES OF GREETINGS

A message of greetings from the Warden and Council of the County of Simcoe was read and received. Also a message of appreciation of the action taken by the Assembly from the Christian Social Service Council of Canada. This was received.

KNOX COLLEGE

The Assembly called for the reports of the Board and Senate of Knox College.

The report of the Board, together with a financial statement, duly audited, was presented by Mr. J. A. McLeod, the Chairman. Upon the motion of Mr. W. T. McCree, duly seconded, it was agreed to receive and adopt the report.

The report of the Senate was presented by Principal Dr. Thomas Eakin. Upon the motion of Dr. Eakin, duly seconded, the report was received and adopted.

COMMITTEE TO STRIKE STANDING COMMITTEES

Dr. A. S. Reid submitted a further report.

The report as a whole, as amended, was adopted.

The Treasurer of the Church is *ex-officio* a member of all Spending Boards.

GROUP "A"

BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION

One Year.—Mr. C. A. McVey, Fredericton; Rev. C. S. Oke, Stratford; Dr. M. A. Campbell, Montreal; Rev. A. C. Stewart, Midland; Col. Robert Starke, Montreal; Mr. Peter Campbell, Cornwall; Mr. T. L. Hamilton, Listowel; Mr. F. W. Acheson, Sault Ste. Marie. *Two Years.*—Rev. Jos. Wasson, Toronto; Rev. C. K. Nicoll, Oakville; Rev. N. D. Kennedy, New Glasgow; Dr. Stuart C. Parker, Toronto; Mr. Richard Lloyd, Wingham; Judge A. G. Farrell, Toronto; Mr. John M. Thomson, Owen Sound (*Chairman*). *Three Years.*—Dr. J. G. Inkster, Toronto; Rev. Wm.

Barclay, Hamilton; Rev. J. M. Macgillivray, Sarnia; Mr. W. J. Kane, Halifax; Mr. T. P. Geggie, Toronto; The Hon. Mr. Justice A. M. Manson, Vancouver; Mr. C. A. Cameron, K.C., M.P., Belleville; Col. B. O. Hooper, D.S.O., M.C., Port Nelson; Rev. S. Farley, Regina; Rev. C. H. MacDonald, Lucknow; Mr. E. W. McNeill, Treasurer (*ex-officio*) Toronto; and 3 Ministerial members appointed by the Board of Missions.

BOARD OF MISSIONS

One Year.—Prof. F. W. Beare, Montreal; Rev. J. A. McInnis, Orillia; Dr. M. M. MacOdrum, Sydney; Rev. W. I. McLean, Hamilton; Mr. T. A. Bryan, London; Mr. G. L. Sutherland, Toronto. *Two Years.*—Dr. A. M. Hill, Verdun (*Convener*); Dr. M. B. Davidson, Galt; Mr. W. Gill, Kingston; Dr. Frank Baird, Chipman, N.B.; Mr. Alex. Davidson, Milverton; Dr. James Wilson, Toronto; Rev. James Evans, Indian Head. *Three Years.*—Dr. Robert Johnston, Ottawa; Prof. W. W. Bryden, Toronto; Rev. Hugh Munroe, D.D., New Glasgow; Rev. W. D. Grant Hollingworth, Medicine Hat; Mr. John McFarlane, Montreal; Mr. F. T. Fraser, Tisdale, Sask. Synod Conveners. Seven representatives of the W.M.S. (W.D.). Two representatives of the W.M.S. (E.D.). Mr. E. W. McNeill, Treasurer (*ex-officio*). Three laymen appointed by the Board of Administration.

COUNCIL EXECUTIVE, WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Mrs. D. D. Calvin, Toronto; Mrs. W. W. Carter, Toronto; Mrs. J. W. Dougherty, Montreal; Mrs. A. Evans, Winnipeg; Mrs. W. H. Fletcher, Toronto; Mrs. D. Gordon, Toronto; Mrs. D. Inglis Grant, Toronto; Mrs. J. A. Hilts, Toronto; Mrs. J. D. Holman, Toronto; Mrs. John Kelman, Toronto; Miss J. Florence Lang, Toronto; Miss Lundia MacBeth, Toronto; Mrs. J. A. McClure, Toronto; Mrs. N. A. MacEachern, Toronto; Mrs. W. H. MacInnes, Vancouver; Mrs. W. A. McLennan, Toronto; Miss Bessie MacMurchy, Toronto; Mrs. A. R. McMurrich, Toronto; Mrs. Albert Maas, Toronto; Mrs. W. A. J. Martin, Toronto; Mrs. J. A. Milne, Toronto; Mrs. W. H. Mitchell, Toronto, Mrs. A. W. Pae, Toronto; Mrs. G. D. Ralston, Regina; Mrs. A. R. Riddell, Toronto; Mrs. D. Strachan, Toronto; Mrs. H. Sykes, Edmonton; Mrs. A. W. Talbot, Toronto; Mrs. J. M. Warren, Toronto; Mrs. John Williams, Toronto; Mrs. J. C. Wood, Toronto. *W.M.S. Representatives on the Assembly's Board of Missions (W.D.):*—Mrs. W. A. McLennan; Miss Jessie Parsons; Mrs. A. R. McMurrich; Miss Bessie MacMurchy; Mrs. D. Strachan; Mrs. D. D. Calvin; Mrs. J. D. Holman; Miss Lundia MacBeth. *Representative, Foreign Sub-Executive:*—Mrs. A. R. McMurrich. *Representative, Home Sub-Executive:*—Mrs. W. A. McLennan. *W.M.S. Representatives on the Assembly's Board of Missions (E.D.):*—Mrs. L. E. Teasdale, Mrs. W. Clarke Elliott.

BOARD OF SABBATH SCHOOLS AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES

One Year.—Rev. J. R. Graham, Sherbrooke; Rev. R. H. M. Kerr, Chesley; Rev. C. G. Boyd, Sault Ste. Marie; Mr. Wm. Patterson, Bowmanville; Mr. A. L. Currie, Vancouver; Rev. J. W. Paul, Woodstock, N.B. *Two Years.*—Rev. W. A. Young, Hensall; Rev. D. P. Rowland, Toronto; Rev. B. L. Walden, Port Colborne; Rev. E. A. Thomson, Elora (*Chairman*); Mr. John R. McCallum, Montreal; Mr. A. D. McMurtrie, Sarnia. *Three Years.*—Rev. H. M. Coulter, St. Catharines; Mr. Ernest Moodie, Toronto;

Rev. C. Ritchie Bell, Montreal; Rev. W. Weir, Portage la Prairie; Mr. C. M. Pitts, Ottawa; Rev. C. J. MacKay, Kirkland Lake. Synod Conveners. Mr. E. W. McNeill, Treasurer (*ex-officio*) Toronto.

GROUP "B"

Senate of Knox College

One Year.—Dr. J. D. Smart, Galt; Rev. W. T. McCree, Toronto; Prof. N. McDonald, Hamilton; Rev. S. M. Scott, Kincardine. *Two Years.*—Prof. J. R. MacGillivray, Toronto; Dr. H. B. Ketchen, Hamilton; Rev. R. J. Waldie, Arthur. *Three Years.*—Dr. H. M. Paulin, Windsor; Rev. N. R. D. Sinclair, Barrie; Judge J. B. Moon, Parry Sound.

Board of Knox College

One Year.—Mr. H. F. Burkholder, Hamilton; Dr. D. D. Macdonald, Toronto; Rev. D. K. Perrie, Hastings; Mr. E. H. Gunther, Brantford; Mr. Chas. M. Cameron, Belleville; Dr. J. D. Smart, Galt; Rev. W. T. McCree, Toronto; Prof. N. McDonald, Hamilton; Rev. S. M. Scott, Kincardine. *Two Years.*—Prof. R. J. MacGillivray, Toronto; Dr. H. B. Ketchen, Hamilton; Rev. J. R. Waldie, Arthur; Prof. J. D. Cunningham, Toronto; Rev. David Gowdy, Paris; Mr. J. A. McLeod, Toronto (*Chairman*); Mr. R. T. Mohan, Cobourg; Mr. H. M. Macdonnell, Toronto. *Three Years.*—Rev. N. R. D. Sinclair, Barrie; Dr. H. M. Paulin, Windsor; Rev. D. C. Hill, Exeter; Mr. J. Colin Blain, St. Catharines; Rev. Peter Dunn, Hamilton; Judge J. B. Moon, Parry Sound; Mr. G. L. Sutherland, Toronto; Rev. L. H. Fowler, Renfrew. *Representatives of the Alumni Association:*—Rev. Hugh F. Davidson, Fort Erie North; Rev. A. G. Rintoul, Toronto; Mr. E. W. McNeill (*Treasurer*).

Senate of Presbyterian College, Montreal

One Year.—Prof. John Hughes, Montreal; Mr. G. McL. Pitts, Montreal; Mr. James Wilson, Montreal; Dr. J. A. Nattress, Sault Ste. Marie; Mr. T. S. McDonald, Smith's Falls; Dr. G. H. Donald, Montreal; Rev. C. Ritchie Bell, Montreal; Dr. Samuel Davies, St. Andrews; Dr. J. W. Stephen, Kingston; Rev. K. MacLean, Wingham. *Two Years.*—Rev. Henry Cousens, Brockville; Rev. J. R. Graham, Sherbrooke; Rev. H. R. Pickup, Montreal; Rev. H. S. Lee, Montreal; Dr. F. W. Gilmour, London; Mr. H. E. Hughston, Ottawa; Prof. H. S. Thomas, Wolfville, N.S. *Three Years.*—Dr. Wm. Patterson, Westboro; Dr. Wm. MacMillan, Collingwood; Rev. Wm. McLean, Outremont; Judge Patterson, New Glasgow; Dr. Frank Morley, Montreal; Dr. W. Orr Mulligan, Westmount; Rev. F. G. Fowler, Vancouver; Col. Robert Starke, Montreal; Dr. J. G. Berry, Martintown; Rev. E. J. White, Ormstown; Prof. H. L. Stewart, Halifax.

Board of Presbyterian College, Montreal

One Year.—Mr. W. J. Hyde, Montreal; Mr. S. G. Dixon, Montreal; Mr. D. C. Logan, Montreal (*Chairman*); Mr. George A. Campbell, K.C., Montreal; Mr. Purvis McDougall, Montreal; Mr. S. H. McCuaig, Edmonton; Mr. Ernest McKay, Fredericton; Dr. J. B. Maclean, Huntingdon; Rev. D. Scott, Montreal; Rev. J. M. Laird, St. Thomas; Rev. R. J. Wilson, Hamilton. Principal of College. *Two Years.*—Dr. J. W. Stephen,

Kingston; Mr. Andrew Cross, Montreal; Judge G. Barclay, Montreal; Mr. H. M. Comstock, Brockville; Mr. Edward Darling, Montreal; Dr. I. A. Montgomery, Montreal; Col. D. Carmichael, Ottawa; Mr. Fraser S. Keith, St. Anne; Col. Andrew Fleming, Montreal. *Three Years.*—Mr. W. F. Macklaier, Montreal; Mr. J. S. Mitchell, Montreal; Mr. F. G. Donaldson, Montreal; Mr. D. M. Rowat, Montreal; Mr. D. G. McPherson, Montreal; Rev. W. M. Townsend, Charlottetown; Dr. M. A. Campbell, Montreal; Mr. Gordon M. Pitts, Montreal; Col. Murray MacLaren, St. John; Rev. H. R. Pickup, Montreal; Mr. E. W. McNeill, Treasurer (*ex-officio*), Toronto.

Pension Board

One Year.—Dr. A. L. Burch, Scarboro Jct.; Rev. John Lindsay, Whitby (*Chairman*); Rev. J. C. Robinson, Leaskdale; Mr. T. C. Allan, Wiarton; Rev. R. C. McDermid, Toronto; Mr. John Mark, Toronto. *Two Years.*—Mr. Donald Nicholson, Toronto; Dr. G. P. Duncan, Toronto; Dr. S. Banks Nelson, Hamilton; Dr. J. S. Shortt, Barrie; Mr. John Hammond, Toronto; Mrs. D. Strachan, Toronto. *Three Years.*—Dr. D. T. L. McKerroll, Niagara-on-the-Lake; Mr. Wm. Milligan, Toronto; Rev. T. J. Watson, Toronto; Dr. Norman MacLeod, Brockville; Mr. T. L. Hamilton, Listowel; Rev. R. Esler, Ripley; Mr. E. W. McNeill, Treasurer (*ex-officio*), Toronto.

Missionary and Deaconess Training Home

One Year.—Rev. J. A. Hilts, Toronto; Mrs. John Kelman, Toronto; Mrs. Wm. Storrie, Toronto; Mrs. J. A. Hilts, Toronto; Rev. D. P. Rowland, Toronto; Miss Elizabeth Burns, Toronto. *Two Years.*—Mrs. T. J. Watson, Toronto; Mrs. H. M. Coulter, St. Catharines; Mr. Thos. G. Relyea, Toronto; Rev. Jos. Wasson, Toronto (*Chairman*); Rev. J. M. Dickson, Dutton; Rev. Robertson Millar, Oro Station. *Three Years.*—Mrs. J. R. Waldie, Arthur; Mrs. R. Moynan, Hamilton; Rev. W. T. McCree, Toronto; Mrs. A. W. Pae, Toronto; Mrs. J. R. Hill, Ottawa; Mrs. Wm. Rochester, Toronto; Rev. R. C. Creelman, Weston; Mr. E. W. McNeill, Treasurer (*ex-officio*), Toronto.

Record Committee

One Year.—Rev. D. Crawford Smith, Toronto; Rev. M. W. Heslip, Prescott; Mr. W. C. Thomson, Pickering; Mr. J. A. McLaren, Barrie. *Two Years.*—Rev. W. H. Fuller, Jarvis (*Chairman*); Dr. J. Stanley Glen, Toronto; Dr. W. Orr Mulligan, Montreal; Mr. H. McDonald, Toronto. *Three Years.*—Dr. Geo. Aitken, Caledon; Prof. W. Harvey-Jellie, Montreal; Rev. J. B. Skene, Toronto; Rev. J. L. W. McLean, Victoria; Mr. E. W. McNeill, Treasurer (*ex-officio*), Toronto.

GROUP "C"

Board of Education

One Year.—Principal F. S. Mackenzie, Montreal (*Chairman*); Rev. N. R. D. Sinclair, Barrie; Dr. George E. Ross, Montreal; Prof. Norman MacDonald, Hamilton; Judge Matheson, Grande Prairie; Mr. R. A. Paterson, Ingersoll. *Two Years.*—Prof. R. D. MacLennan, Montreal; Rev. W. G. McLean, Winnipeg; Rev. Peter Reith, Tara; Rev. J. A. McMahon, Port

Arthur; Prof. W. W. Bryden, Toronto; Rev. J. M. Laird, St. Thomas. *Three Years.*—Dr. James MacKay, London; Dr. A. T. Barr, Peterborough; Principal Eakin, Toronto; Rev. C. M. Kerr, Halifax; Rev. W. J. Walker, Belleville; Rev. J. R. Frizzell, Vancouver; Mr. Geo. C. Brown, Barrie.

COMMITTEE ON CHURCH WORSHIP

One Year.—Dr. A. M. Gordon, Quebec; Rev. G. R. Taylor, Toronto; Rev. H. R. Pickup, Montreal; Rev. G. M. Jamieson, Beaverton; Mr. J. G. Pelton, Toronto; Judge A. G. Farrell, Toronto. *Two Years.*—Rev. A. D. Sutherland, Sault Ste. Marie; Rev. C. L. Cowan, Hamilton (*Chairman*); Rev. G. L. Evans, Huntsville; Dr. C. A. McRae, Windsor; Mr. W. H. Fletcher, Toronto; Mr. Alex. Smith, Embro. *Three Years.*—Mr. John McGregor, Midland; Rev. Alex. Ferguson, Ottawa; Rev. A. R. Ferguson, Simcoe; Rev. F. G. St. Denis, Trail; Mr. George Munro, Rosetown; Col. Murray MacLaren, St. John.

GROUP "D"

HISTORICAL COMMITTEE

One Year.—Mr. Ernest McKay, Fredericton; Rev. W. J. West, Stratford; Rev. S. Lundie, Sooke; Mr. John McCool, Walkerton; Mr. George Armstrong, St. Paul's. *Two Years.*—Rev. A. L. Budge. Hamilton (*Chairman*); Dr. Frank Baird, Chipman, N.B.; Dr. F. D. Roxburgh, Edmonton; Mr. Stuart Muirhead, Regina; Rev. E. C. Currie, Creemore. *Three Years.*—Mr. Robert Stewart, Quebec; Judge Martin, Regina; Judge Patterson, New Glasgow; Rev. G. R. Duncan, Warkworth; Rev. H. S. Lee, Montreal. Synod Conveners.

COMMITTEE ON CORRESPONDENCE

One Year.—Dr. S. Banks Nelson, Hamilton (*Chairman*); Dr. J. W. MacNamara, Toronto; Dr. W. M. Rochester, Toronto. *Two Years.*—Rev. Wm. Barclay, Hamilton; Rev. S. Farley, Regina; Dr. James Wilson, Toronto. *Three Years.*—Mr. S. J. Mallion, Stratford; Dr. J. S. Shortt, Barrie; Rev. John McNab, Ancaster; Mr. E. W. McNeill, Treasurer (*ex-officio*), Toronto.

EVANGELISM, CHURCH LIFE AND WORK

One Year.—Rev. A. D. Sutherland, Sault Ste. Marie; Rev. G. M. Young, Lucknow; Hon. T. B. McQuesten, Hamilton. *Two Years.*—Rev. C. A. Ronald Rowat, Saskatoon; Rev. James Fleming, Chesley; Rev. J. Y. Fraser, Toronto. *Three Years.*—Rev. J. B. Thomson, Toronto (*Chairman*); Mr. Samuel Wallace, Toronto; Rev. Walter Ellis, Vancouver; Rev. C. J. St. Clair Jeans, St. John, Synod Conveners.

BUSINESS COMMITTEE

The Clerks of Assembly; Rev. E. Foreman, Toronto; Rev. W. T. McCree, Toronto; Mr. T. P. Geggie, Toronto; Judge A. G. Farrell, Toronto.

COMMITTEE TO STRIKE STANDING COMMITTEES

Dr. J. S. Shortt, Barrie (*Chairman*); Rev. W. B. Mitchell, Dundas.

REPORT ON SITUATION IN PRESBYTERY OF CAPE BRETON AND NEWFOUNDLAND

The Assembly resumed consideration of the report of the Special Committee, as submitted by Mr. G. S. Lloyd, who gave a resumé of the situation, and submitted a further recommendation as follows:—

"That the General Assembly regrets the continued disturbance within the Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland; that it sympathizes with the Presbytery in its difficulties, and finds that the solution must be sought by the Presbytery itself dealing with the situation in a spirit of wisdom and charity, and with due regard to the procedure of the Church."

It was moved by Mr. N. D. Kennedy, seconded by Mr. McNeill, that the report be received and its recommendations considered seriatim. This was agreed to.

It was moved by Dr. A. S. Reid, seconded by Mr. D. C. Hill, that the Assembly proceed to consider the recommendations only, and regard the findings as merely explanations not to be printed. This was agreed to.

It was further moved by Mr. N. D. Kennedy, duly seconded and agreed that the findings of the Committee be stricken from the Records.

The recommendations as submitted at a former Sederunt were then considered seriatim, and on motion of Dr. Taylor, duly seconded, were adopted.

The additional recommendation was then considered. Mr. George Beare moved, duly seconded, that this recommendation be adopted.

Mr. T. Owen Hughes moved in amendment, seconded by Judge Moon, that a Commission of Assembly be sent to the Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland to deal with the whole situation.

Upon the vote being taken, the amendment was lost. Upon a further vote the recommendation of the Committee was adopted.

The thanks of the Assembly were conveyed to Mr. Lloyd and the members of the Committee for their diligence.

OVERTURE NO. 22 "TO ERECT A PRESBYTERY OF NEWFOUNDLAND"

It was moved by Dr. Johnson, seconded by Mr. N. D. Kennedy, "That this Overture be transmitted to the Synod of the Maritime Provinces with power to issue." This was agreed to.

OVERTURES NOS. 14 AND 24

Dr. H. Munroe for the Committee reported and recommended as follows:—

1. *Re* Overture No. 24 *Re* Section 100 Book of Forms "That the prayer of the Overture be not granted."

Dr. A. S. Reid moved in amendment, seconded by Dr. Robert Johnston, "That a small committee be appointed to consider Rule 100 and 101 of the Book of Forms with power to make them more definite; this Committee to report to the next General Assembly." Upon the vote being taken the amendment was lost. Upon a further vote the recommendation of the Committee was adopted.

2. *Re* Overture No. 14 *Re* Advisory Committee to Work with Presbyteries in Special Circumstances "That the prayer of the Overture be not granted." This was agreed to.

Remits

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Remits, which was submitted by Mr. W. T. McCree, the Convener, on behalf of the Committee, who called attention to the reports from Presbyteries as printed, and recommended as follows:— "*Re* the remit concerning Students from Colleges other than those of our own Church" (page 119 appendix to Minutes). Replies were received from 19 Presbyteries, four Presbyteries were in favour of the recommendation contained in the Remit, fifteen Presbyteries were opposed; one, the Presbytery of Brockville, overtured in opposition.

The Committee therefore recommends that the recommendation of the Board of Education regarding students from Colleges other than those of our own Church applying for status of Licentiate of The Presbyterian Church in Canada be not approved.

Mr. McCree moved, duly seconded, that the report with its recommendation be received and considered. This was agreed to. The recommendation was then considered and adopted.

Overture No. 16 *Re* Students from Colleges Other Than Those of Our Own Church

Mr. McCree reported and recommended as follows:— "That the matter referred to in this Overture is fully dealt with in the report of the Committee on Remits. This was adopted.

Notice of Motion

Mr. McCree gave notice as follows:— "That I shall at a future Sederunt introduce a recommendation regarding list of Universities and Colleges by the Board of Education as a guide for Presbyteries."

Petition of Mr. George Rowland

Mr. W. T. McCree for the Committe reported as follows:—

The Prayer of the Petition is:—

"That General Assembly order a judicial investigation of *all* the matters complained of in 'The Inside Story of the Trouble in Knox Church, Stratford'."

Your Committee appointed to deal with this Petition begs to report as follows:

1. That it is reporting on the question of whether or not the General Assembly should grant the prayer of the petition. It did not—nor could it—make full investigation as this would have entailed the calling of parties not present at the General Assembly, nor within call in the time General Assembly is being held.
2. Your Committee would call attention to the fact that the petition deals with matters that occurred within the Stratford Presbytery but was forwarded through the Presbytery of Montreal in which Presbytery the Petitioner is domiciled. Nevertheless, your Committee considered that

as there was no protest on this point from the Presbytery of Stratford, or Knox Church, Stratford, whose actions are under review in the petition, the nature of the petition should be examined.

3. Your Committee found that the document, which provides the grounds for the petition is a document dealing largely with matters that have been the subject of appeals to the General Assembly by the writer Mr. William Rutherford.

   Your Committee is of the opinion that no good can be served by a re-examination of such matters as have already been disposed of by General Assembly.

4. The Petitioner claims however, that there is new evidence, not previously considered, consisting mainly of the financial reports of the Stratford congregation—

   (*a*) Comparisons between the financial returns during Mr. Rowland's ministry, and the returns of a former and of a later ministry are suggested.

   (*b*) Examination is asked of methods of preparing these reports during the later years of Mr. Rowland's ministry; the accusation being that these reports do not show the actual facts. Your Committee would point out that these reports, up to 1932, were available at the time or immediately subsequent to December 1932, the date of the resignation of Mr. Rowland. Paragraph 369 supplies the grounds on which newly discovered evidence is admitted as reason for re-opening a case. We submit that with reasonable diligence this evidence might have been offered at the time of previous appeals. Nor did your Committee find in such reports as were submitted any difficulty in understanding the method of presentation. Your Committee is of the opinion that this new evidence is not of sufficient value—in itself—to have the case reopened.

5. Your Committee noted that one of the reasons given for the petition is that the name of the Petitioner figures prominently in the "The Inside Story, etc.", and that as a consequence of all that has happened and is happening in connection with this case his reputation and usefulness have been and are being seriously affected.

   The Committee would point out that in its opinion the "fama" is being kept alive not by those whose conduct is assailed by the Petitioner, but by his own friend, acting we have reason to believe with the concurrence of the Petitioner, for the Petitioner requested of the Committee that the writer of "The Story" should be joined with him as co-petitioner.

6. Your Committee would point out that the matter affecting the Petitioner was dealt with in 1932, in Stratford Presbytery and that so far as he is concerned as a party, was closed in 1935 in the General Assembly of that year.

7. Your Committee feeling that there is no sufficient reason nor sufficient new evidence available for a new process of judicial investigation, recommend, that the Prayer of the Petition be not granted.

Mr. McCree moved, seconded by Judge Stanbury, "That the report be received and considered, and the Petitioner be heard." This was agreed to.

Mr. George Rowland then appeared before the Assembly and spoke to the Petition.

Further consideration of the report was deferred to a later Sederunt.

Committee to Advise With the Moderator

The Moderator submitted and the Assembly accepted the following as the Committee to advise with the Moderator. Mr. A. R. Skinner (*Convener*), Dr. J. W. MacNamara, Mr. H. A. Berlis, Dr. Malcolm A. Campbell, Dr. Hugh Munroe, Mr. N. D. Kennedy, Mr. W. Gordon Maclean, Mr. Wm. Weir, Mr. Ross K. Cameron, Mr. Harry Lennox, Mr. R. G. McKay, and Moderators of Synods; Ministers, and Mr. George Beare, Elder.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at eight o'clock in the evening, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

SEVENTEENTH SEDERUNT

At the same place, on the same day at eight o'clock in the evening.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted, Mr. Wm. Barclay leading in prayer at the request of the Moderator.

Petition of Mr. George Rowland

The Assembly resumed consideration of the report of the Special Committee.

Mr. McCree moved that the report with its recommendation be adopted. This was seconded by Judge Stanbury. Upon the vote being taken the motion was adopted.

Dr. S. B. Nelson moved, seconded by Mr. J. H. Cameron, and it was agreed, "That the resolution of Stratford Presbytery December 22nd, 1932 regarding Rev. George Rowland, if agreeable to Mr. Rowland, be published in the *Record* Magazine."

Special Committee on the Sustentation Fund

The Assembly called for the report of the Special Committee appointed to investigate with a view to the adoption of a Sustentation Fund for the maintenance of the Ministry. The report was presented by Dr. J. G. Inkster, the Convener.

Upon the motion of Dr. Inkster, seconded by Mr. McNeill, the report was received and its recommendations considered seriatim.

At the request of the Moderator, Dr. Hugh Munroe occupied the Chair.

The recommendations were then considered. The first recommendation was adopted by a standing vote. The second, third and fourth recommendations were adopted.

Dr. Inkster reported on the unprinted Overture from the Presbytery of Huron *Re* Committee on Sustentation Fund, and recommended, that the following names be added to the Committee:— Mr. J. D. Cunningham, Dr. D. J. Fraser and Dr. D. T. L. McKerroll. This was agreed to.

Dr. Inkster then moved, seconded by Mr. Wm. Barclay, that the report as a whole be adopted. This was agreed to.

Report on Church Extension and Church and Manse Funds

The Assembly having called for the reports of the Trustees of the Church Extension Fund and also of the Church and Manse Fund, these, together with cash statements for the twelve months ending January 31st, 1939 were given in by Dr. J. G. Inkster, the Convener.

Upon his motion, duly seconded, the report was received and adopted.

The Moderator resumed the Chair.

The Ministry of the Church

In the absence of Mr. J. B. Skene, the Convener, Dr. Nelson presented the report and moved, duly seconded, that the report be received and adopted, and the Committee be discharged, with thanks. This was agreed to.

Board of Administration

The Assembly resumed consideration of the report and of recommendation No. 7 as printed.

Mr. Lindsay moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. McNeill, "That this matter be again referred to a Conference of the Board of Administration and the Pension Board to report to the next General Assembly."

Upon the vote being taken the amendment prevailed, and the subject matter of the recommendation was so remitted.

Recommendation No. 8 was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Pitts, seconded by Mr. McNeill the report as a whole, as amended, was adopted.

Mr. Pitts reported on certain Overtures and recommended as follows:—

Unprinted Overture, Presbytery of Montreal, *re* Ephraim Scott Memorial Church. In view of the fact that there are no funds available to meet the request of the Overture, beyond the possibility of a loan to a limited amount from the Church Extension Fund, which would not meet the present situation, it is recommended that the matter be referred to the the Presbytery of Montreal, and that Dr. Campbell be asked to sponsor the appeal before the Presbytery. This was approved.

Overture No. 17, Presbytery of Brockville, *Re* Payment of Student University Fees by the Church. It is recommended that in the judgment of the Board of Administration it would not be practicable to launch a campaign for such a purpose at the present time. This was approved.

Re Petition from the Presbytery of London in connection with Knollwood Park Congregation and the Civil action by Mr. M. G. Court. It was agreed to recommend that having heard the Petition and having had the benefit of the information given by the Commissioners from the Presbytery of London, and in view of the fact that the matter has gone so far in the

Civil Courts that the matter be allowed to take its course. This was approved.

Re Overture No. 8, Presbytery of Saskatoon, *Re* Assistance for Accepted Students for the Ministry from Western Universities. It was agreed to recommend that the request of the Overture be referred to the Boards of our two Colleges for sympathetic consideration. This was approved.

Principal F. Scott Mackenzie's proposal to pay fees of prospective students for the Ministry and the proposal from the Presbytery of Prince Edward Island for the establishment of a special fund for payment of University fees.

It was agreed to point out—

(1) That the Board of Administration has no funds at its disposal for this purpose.

(2) That the Board considers the present time not opportune to establish such a fund.

(3) But that the proposal be referred to the Boards of the two Colleges to ascertain whether they can provide the necessary funds.

(4) That Arts Students preparing for the Ministry who are pursuing their Arts Course in some University recognized by our Theological Colleges should be registered in one of the two Colleges and be given sympathetic consideration with regard to financial assistance in payment of tuition fees from such funds as are not limited to be used in The Presbyterian College, Montreal, or Knox College, Toronto. This was approved.

Pension Board

Mr. Lindsay, Convener, submitted a further report and recommended that the following words be deleted from the printed report in the paragraph beginning "The contributions to the fund" and ending "greatly". On motion of Mr. Lindsay, seconded by Mr. McNeill this was agreed.

Mr. H. P. S. Luttrell. The recommendation of the Board was adopted.

The report as a whole, as amended, was adopted on motion of Mr. Lindsay, duly seconded.

Budget and Stewardship Committee

Mr. Barclay moved, seconded by Dr. Mark, the adoption of the report as a whole. This was agreed to.

Mr. Barclay then reported on certain Overtures referred to the Committee and recommended as follows:—

1. Overture No. 4, from the Synod of Alberta, *Re* making a personal appeal. "That the prayer of the Overture be not granted, but that assurance be given that the Budget and Stewardship Committee in its plans is approximating to the aim of the Overture." This was approved.

2. Overture No. 21, from the Presbytery of Bruce, through the Synod of Hamilton and London, *Re* the Budget Funds. "That the prayer of the Overture be not granted, because all suggestions cannot be made operative in present circumstances, but the Budget and Stewardship Committee is in sympathy with the objective of the Overture." This was approved.

The Moderator reminded the Assembly that Mr. C. M. Pitts was retiring this year as Convener of the Board of Administration, and conveyed to Mr. Pitts the sincere thanks of the Assembly for his most faithful, sacrificing and efficient services. Mr. Pitts thanked the Assembly for this token of appreciation.

Mr. McCree spoke to a question of privilege and brought to the attention of the Assembly the deep loss of the Church sustained in the passing at a ripe age of Dr. W. G. Jordan. It was agreed that it be an instruction to the Presbytery of Toronto to prepare an obituary notice for insertion in the Minutes of this Assembly. Thereafter the Moderator led the Assembly in prayer.

Committee on Correspondence

Dr. Nelson reported further for the committee and spoke with reference to the World Council of Churches. He moved, seconded by Dr. Mark, that the Committee on Correspondence be authorized to provide for representation by The Presbyterian Church in Canada in The World Council of Churches. This was agreed to.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned to meet again in this place at ten o'clock tomorrow morning, of which public intimation was given, and this Sederunt was closed with the Benediction by the Moderator.

EIGHTEENTH SEDERUNT

At Midland, and within Knox Church there, the fifteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

The General Assembly met pursuant to adjournment, and was constituted with prayer by the Moderator.

Report of the Committee on Business

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Business, which was given in and read by Mr. C. H. MacDonald, the Convener, who moved its reception and adoption. This being duly seconded was agreed to, and the business of the Assembly for the day was ordered accordingly.

Report of the Historical Committee

The Assembly having called for the report of the Historical Committee, it was presented by Mr. A. L. Budge, the Convener. Upon the motion of Mr. Budge, duly seconded, it was agreed to receive the report and to consider its recommendations seriatim.

The following recommendations were submitted and considered:—

1. That the thanks of the Assembly be given on this the twenty-first anniversary to all who have contributed to the work coming under the jurisdiction of this Committee.

2. That the Assembly call upon all Clerks and those appointed specially to prepare non-partisan accounts of the events connected with the disruption of 1925, to forward copies of the same to the local Historical Committee.

3. That it be an instruction to Clerks of Church Courts, Secretaries and other officials having historical records and documents, to secure if possible a duplicate copy of each for the Assembly's Archives.

Recommendations Nos. 1, 2 and 3 were approved.

4. "That Mr. W. H. Sandham be empowered to secure assistance in order that the documents, letters, booklets, etc. now in the Archives at Knox College, Toronto, may be properly filed as speedily as possible."

It was moved in amendment by Mr. C. M. Pitts, duly seconded and agreed, that Recommendation No. 4 be referred to the Board of Administration.

Upon the vote being taken the amendment prevailed and the recommendation was so remitted.

5. "That the formation of a 'Historical Society of The Presbyterian Church in Canada' be considered, and that a Constitution for the same be formed by your Historical Committee in conference with the Clerks of Assembly." This recommendation was adopted.

The following additional recommendation was then submitted and on motion, duly seconded, was approved.

"The General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada notes with great satisfaction, that the Centenary of the birth of Dr. James Robertson, Winnipeg, for many years Superintendent of Missions, has been duly celebrated in Church Courts and by gatherings of our people in every part of the Church.

"The Assembly, on its own account, desires to associate itself to the utmost, in every movement to honour the great name referred to, and recognizes the abiding influence of his strong personality, his remarkable energy and success in founding our Church, wherever the flow of Immigration spread in the 'Great North West' and the place he held in this Court where he, during very eventful days occupied the Chair as Moderator."

The report as a whole, as amended, was adopted on motion of Mr. Budge, duly seconded.

General Board of Missions

In the absence of the Convener, Mr. George Beare reported upon the Petition from the Session of Strange, Eversley and West King, Presbytery of Toronto, and recommended that the prayer of the Petition be granted. On his motion, duly seconded, the recommendation was adopted.

Re Appointment of Secretary of Board of Missions

It was agreed, upon motion of Mr. W. T. McCree, duly seconded, that the date when the appointment of Dr. W. A. Cameron shall take effect be left to the General Board of Missions in conference with the Presbytery of Westminster.

Printed Overtures Nos. 2 and 15

Mr. H. A. Berlis for the Committee reported and recommended as follows:— Overture No. 2, Synod of Alberta, "*Re* retirement of all paid officials appointed by the General Assembly at the age of 70". "That the prayer of this Overture be not granted".

Dr. W. A. Cameron moved in amendment, duly seconded, "That the principle contained in this Overture be remitted to Presbyteries for consideration." On the vote being taken as between the motion and the amendment, the motion prevailed, and upon a further vote being taken the recommendation of the Committee was adopted.

The following motion was submitted by Mr. N. D. Kennedy, duly seconded, and approved:—

"That the Assembly recognizes fully the need for efficiency, but believes that the arbitrary retirement of officials at the age of 70 does not necessarily make for efficiency, and that each case should be considered according to its merits."

Overture No. 15 Presbytery of Toronto *Re* Appointment of Assistants and Successors to Certain Officers of the General Assembly

"Recommended that this Overture be remitted to a special committee to be appointed by the Moderator for consideration and study, and in consultation with the Boards mentioned in the Overture, and to report to the next General Assembly." The recommendation was approved.

Appointment of Special Committee

The Moderator nominated and the Assembly accepted the following as the Committee on Overture No. 15:—Mr. Joseph Wasson (Convener), Dr. M. B. Davidson, Mr. D. P. Rowland, Dr. J. Stanley Glen, Ministers; and Mr. T. P. Geggie, Mr. C. M. Pitts and Mr. G. L. Sutherland, Elders.

Overture No. 20, Synod of Hamilton and London *Re* Minimum Stipend and Unprinted Overture *Re* Arrears of Stipend, Presbytery of London

Dr. S. Banks Nelson for the Committee reported as follows:—

1. The Minimum Stipend is $1,800.00 per annum with the free use of Manse, but the Board of Missions at present is only able to give augmentation up to $1,600.00 with permission of the General Assembly.

2. Congregations unable to pay the full minimum are required to provide at least $1,200.00 per annum, the Board of Missions making a grant up to $400.00.

It was agreed upon motion of Dr. Nelson, seconded by Dr. Campbell, that the report be received and adopted.

Re Overture No. 13, Presbytery of Peterborough Regulations Governing Deaconesses

It was agreed, upon motion of Dr. T. W. Taylor, duly seconded, that this be referred to the Missionary and Deaconess Training Board to consider and report to next Assembly.

Re Pension Fund

Mr. J. R. Waldie submitted the motion of which he gave notice at a former Sederunt, "That a simplified explanation of the Pension Fund be sent by the Pension Board to every Minister of our Church who is not a member of the fund at present."

On his motion, seconded by Mr. Wm. Weir, the motion was adopted.

OVERTURE No. 26 *Re* THE PENSION FUND, SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

Dr. T. Wardlaw Taylor reported for the Committee and recommended that the Overture be referred to the Committee to report to next Assembly. Upon his motion, duly seconded, this was agreed to.

Re THEOLOGICAL STATEMENT OF THE PRESENT SITUATION, PRESBYTERY OF PARIS

Mr. J. A. MacInnis for the Committee reported and recommended as follows:— "That this statement be sent down to Presbyteries to consider and to report to the Clerks of Assembly."

Mr. MacInnis moved, seconded by Mr. A. R. Ferguson that the recommendation be adopted.

Dr. Taylor moved, duly seconded, that the matter be laid on the table.

On the vote being taken the motion to lay on the table was adopted.

RESOLUTIONS

The Assembly called for the report of the Committee on Resolutions, which was given in and read by Mr. A. L. Budge, in the absence of the Convener, and upon his motion, duly seconded, was adopted. The report is as follows:—

The General Assembly records and hereby tenders its sincere thanks to:

1. The Office-bearers and Congregation of Knox Church, Midland, for the royal welcome to their beautiful place of worship and the perfect accommodation provided therein for the use of the Standing Committees and Meetings of a special character.

2. The Hosts and Hostesses in the town and rural congregations for their gracious hospitality, and the fine interdenominational fellowship existing in the town, which showed itself in the opening of many guest-chambers for the entertainment of the Commissioners, and pulpits on the Assembly-Sunday.

3. The perfect working of organization which attended to all the details resulting in what has so frequently been referred to as an excellent Assembly. The Commissioners have been served in so many ways by Mr. R. R. Wilson, Secretary of the Billeting Committee, and his associates Messrs. J. B. Roebuck and T. Sharpe that at least a word is added of deep appreciation.

4. The following who made it possible for the local Committee to carry out the never-to-be-forgotten excursions, luncheons, and recreations, which the Commissioners thoroughly enjoyed:

Reverend Father Lally, of the Martyrs' Shrine.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Pratt for the sail among the 30,000 Islands of the Georgian Bay.

Capt. Fred Marsh, Dr. T. J. Johnston and Mr. George Ross for the reception at the Golf Club.

Mrs. James Playfair for the "gathering of the clans" in the Y.M.C.A.

The Chamber of Commerce who presented the Illustrated Folders and arranged for the transportation by auto of the Commissioners at all the delightful drives.

The Park Commission for equipment put at the service of the Assembly.

And also to the Y.M.C.A. for tables which have been of invaluable use.

5. The Organist, Mr. D. Major, for his presence at every Sederunt and especially at the Public Sessions where the beautiful variety of anthems by the Senior and Junior choirs were greatly appreciated. The Assembly desires to note that the attendance of Mr. Major was made possible by the School Board of the town.

6. The Press, both local and national, for the courtesy of the "Gentlemen of the Fourth Estate" and the fact that their reports have been a feature in their dailies and weeklies for the past ten days.

7. The Officials of the Post Office and Telegraph Companies for the special facilities provided the Assembly, and also to Messrs. Bell and Walton of the Railways for splendid service rendered the Commissioners.

8. His Worship the Mayor of Midland, for his presence in the Assembly to give his personal and official welcome. Also to the Chief Magistrate of the sister town of Penetanguishene for attending the luncheon there and delivering a very friendly address.

9. The Church Officer and his assistants for the efficiency and promptness with which they met every request.

10. The Ladies of the Congregations of Penetanguishene and Wyebridge, particularly the Ladies Aid of the Assembly-church for providing the abundance of refreshments at all the excursions and the college-dinners. The fresh and beautiful flowers to greet the Moderator every morning, were also from that devoted group of women.

11. The Presbytery of Barrie and particularly the Moderator Rev. J. M. Ritchie, and the Clerk, Rev. N. R. D. Sinclair for their unanimous support from the very beginning.

12. The Assembly cannot adjourn without a special word congratulating Rev. Alex. C. Stewart, M.A., minister of the Church, on the triumph which has crowned his efforts. This meeting is now passing into a unique state of historical glory, and it is the farewell word of the Commissioners to him and his people that there shall remain with them the same happy memories as we carry with us to every part of the Dominion.

Mr. A. C. Stewart, on behalf of the Session and Congregation of Knox Church, Midland, thanked the Assembly for the kind words of appreciation.

THANKS TO THE MODERATOR

On the motion of Dr. J. W. MacNamara, duly seconded, the thanks of the Assembly were tendered to the Moderator for his conduct in the Chair.

At the request of the Moderator the thanks of the Assembly were tendered also to the Clerks with sincere appreciation of the presence of Dr. T. Wardlaw Taylor after his serious illness.

Minutes

It was agreed, on motion duly seconded, to take the Minutes of the Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth and Eighteenth Sederunts as read and sustained.

Close of Assembly

The business being finished, the Moderator addressed the Assembly. Thereafter the Assembly joined in praise, singing the one hundred and twenty-second Psalm. The Moderator then led the Assembly in prayer and said "In the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, the only King and Head of the Church, and by the authority of this Assembly, I now dissolve this Assembly, and appoint another General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, to meet in the City of St. Catharines, Ontario, and within Knox Church there on the first Wednesday of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and forty, at eight o'clock in the evening."

The Moderator then closed the Sessions with the Apostolic Benediction.

APPENDICES

REPORTS OF BOARDS, STANDING COMMITTEES, ETC.

THE GENERAL BOARD OF MISSIONS

HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONS

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The General Board of Missions shares in the great loss sustained by the Church at large through the sudden death of Dr. Donald MacOdrum, so shortly after his election as Moderator of the General Assembly. Dr. MacOdrum was for several years a member of this Board. He was a member of the deputation which visited our Foreign Fields in the latter part of 1927 and the early part of 1928. He was also a member of the Advisory Committee on Foreign Missions. Because of his long and wide experience, and his intimate knowledge of the work of the Church, both at home and abroad, he was eminently fitted to render valuable service to the Church during his Moderatorial year. We know that it was his great desire to complete his record of active service in this way.

We also desire to express our deep regret at the passing, near the close of the year of Mr. J. W. Marshall, who served for several years on this Board with devotion and fidelity. Mr. Marshall was a familiar figure in the General Assembly, and took a deep interest in all that concerned the welfare of the Church. He was a fine representative of the type of Eldership which has given wise guidance in the affairs of the Church during recent years.

Your Board is able to report encouraging progress in some sections of the Home field. In Kirkland Lake which was opened as a Mission only a little over two years ago, a vigorous congregation has been organized, and a fine commodious church erected. Already this congregation is accepting responsibility for its share of the Budget, and the outlook for the future is most hopeful.

There are also interesting developments in other mining areas. The Val d'Or district in Quebec offers abundant opportunities for service with its rapidly growing population. An arrangement has been made with the Home Mission Board of the United Church of Canada, regarding a division of territory in this district under which overlapping will be avoided as far as possible, and more effective service supplied to the Protestant population in the various centres and mining camps.

In Newfoundland, the congregation at Grand Falls has taken on a new lease of life. In St. John a new congregation has been received—the former Queen's Road Congregational Church—with a recent graduate of Knox College as its minister.

Conditions in the Western Synods are still far from normal, due to economic conditions, consequent upon repeated crop failures and low prices for grain. As a result there has been considerable shifting of population from the dried out areas to the northern parts in Saskatchewan. A survey was made last summer by that Synod, and it is evident that the new area in the north, into which settlers have been moving in large numbers, will require the care and attention of the Church.

In the Peace River district crops have been very poor, and our work there has also suffered through failure to secure the services of ordained men suitable for that type of work for some of the important points. In order to conserve the resources of the Church, and to consolidate the work in the home field, Presbyteries were requested by the Executive at the meeting in September to make a thorough survey

of the augmented charges and mission fields within the bounds, and to report to your Board. As a result there has been some saving effected in grants, and in some cases stronger charges set up by amalgamations. Your Board is of the opinion that many Presbyteries could, with advantage, give further consideration to this proposal. This year under the regulation passed by last Assembly, the men in the graduating classes in our two Colleges have been available for appointment as Ordained Missionaries under your Board for one year. By this plan it has been possible to place ordained men at important points in Northern Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, and British Columbia where such services were greatly needed if the work of the Church is to be continued. Your Board considers that this plan should be continued for a period at least until the work in these newer and more difficult fields is more firmly established, and is recommending accordingly.

Home Mission Grants

In accordance with the instructions of last Assembly, a list of the grants paid to Augmented Charges and Mission Fields during the year 1938 is appended to this report.

Your Board has to report several changes in the personnel on the Foreign field, and in the development of the work.

British Guiana

Rev. David Marshall has submitted his resignation through the Council and, out of deference to his wishes, it has been accepted. Your Board desires to pay tribute to the fine work done by Mr. Marshall, in carrying out the policy adopted after the survey and report made by him at the request of the Board, and especially in connection with the extensive building programme undertaken. Several new churches have been erected, and other buildings greatly improved.

Miss Anne Storey who was appointed under the Women's Missionary Society, Eastern Division, has also resigned. It will be necessary to appoint someone to fill the vacant places in the ranks.

We regret that our missionaries and their families on this field have suffered greatly from recurring attacks of malaria. The Board hopes to overcome this to some extent at least, by special treatment in Canada in the case of future missionaries appointed to this field.

It has been found advisable to sell the house in Georgetown known as the Parade Street property.

It has been recommended by the Council on the field that a couple of promising young men, natives of British Guiana, should be brought to Canada to be trained for the ministry in one of our Colleges, and set apart for work among their own people. Your Board considers that this plan should be encouraged as offering a hopeful solution of the difficult problem of securing workers for this field where the climate is so trying to Canadians. As in other Foreign fields, our aim should be to train and develop the Native Church along lines of self-government and self-support.

The Bhil Field, India

Rev. Fred C. Knox who graduated from Knox College last year, and was appointed to this field, was ordained and designated by the Presbytery of Orangeville. He was married in Ireland in the autumn, and he and his wife have reached the field and are now at work upon the language.

Dr. Buchanan was called back to India on account of the serious illness of his daughter Ruth, whom we rejoice to report has made a remarkable recovery. His

retirement from active service will take place at the end of June. He plans, however, to remain on the field, and with the help of his daughter, to render further service.

Jhansi Field

We regret to report that Rev. A. A. Lowther has found it necessary to return from his work in India because of the serious effect of the hot seasons upon his health. It is the hope of this Board that Mr. Lowther may be able to render valuable service to the Church at home upon his return to Canada.

Mr. A. Hawtin has also resigned after many years of devoted service in connection with the farm, and he and Mrs. Hawtin are returning to Canada.

Re the Farm and Hostel

It has been decided to sell the farm property held in connection with this Mission, and it is expected that final arrangements will be completed before long. Negotiations have been continued with The Presbyterian Church in the United States with reference to closer co-operation in that area. As soon as definite plans can be outlined, they will be submitted to the Council on the field for their consideration, and report.

North Formosa

As stated in our report to Assembly last year, your Board was under the necessity of securing a suitable medical missionary to replace Dr. Little whose term of appointment expires this year. It was found necessary to release Dr. Little early in the year to enable him to accept another appointment. We are pleased to report the appointment of Dr. Donald C. Bews in his place. Dr. Bews is a Canadian, fully qualified. We desire to place on record our high appreciation of the fine work done by Dr. and Mrs. Little while in charge of the hospital at Taihoku. Dr. Eugene Stevens who went to Japan for language study on his return from furlough, is now back at the hospital in Formosa. Encouraging progress is being made in the direction of self-government and self-support. The Native Church is now organized in three Presbyteries and a plan has been drawn up by the Council and approved under which the local congregations will strive to reach self-support over a period of ten years.

Koreans in Japan

Present unsettled conditions in the East affect all missionary work in these lands. However, the reports from our missionaries are hopeful and encouraging. Miss Gladys Murphy who was home on sick leave was able to return to Japan, and she and Rev. Malcolm MacKay were married in the autumn and are now stationed at Nagoya.

Manchuria

Rev. and Mrs. W. G. Davis are now here on furlough but will be returning to Manchuria this autumn. Upon their arrival Mr. Reoch will go to Japan for further language study. Reports are still encouraging, showing many opportunities for expansion, whenever the Church is in a position to appoint additional workers.

Madras Conference

Miss Violet Tennant, Girls' Work Secretary, attended the World meeting of the International Missionary Council held at Tambaram, near Madras, last December as the representative from our Foreign Mission Board. Plans are being considered for bringing to the churches in Canada this autumn, through the delegates from the various Boards represented, something of the inspiration and information gained at that great missionary gathering. From the encouraging reports of the Post-Madras Conferences recently held across Canada, we look for a hearty response to the special series of meetings to be held this autumn.

Training of Workers for Foreign Fields

One of the important questions considered at the Madras Conference, concerned the training of workers for Foreign fields and the necessity for more adequate and specialized preparation for that work. This has received the consideration of your Board and recommendations dealing with the question are included in this report.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That our colleges be asked to effect an arrangement by means of an affiliation or otherwise, with an American Theological College, which is equipped to offer specialized training for foreign mission workers, and that students looking forward to work on the Foreign field be permitted to spend one or two semester terms in such a College which shall count towards their Diploma in Theology, and that the expenses of such specialized training be a charge upon this Board.

2. That every effort be made to secure men as candidates for the foreign missionary enterprise while in their first year in Theology, or during their Arts course, and that the Faculties of our Colleges be asked to offer personal supervision and direction of the studies of such candidates from the earliest possible stage.

3. That the Assembly approve of the plan proposed of bringing one or two native students from British Guiana for training in one of our Colleges, to be set apart for work among their own people, having in mind the ultimate aim of developing a native ministry and the spirit of self-support.

4. That in view of the many questions involved the request of the Presbytery of Vindhiya and Satpura Mountain Bhil with reference to the formation of a Presbyterian Church in India, as set forth in the printed Overture to last Assembly, be referred back to the Board for further conference and to report to next Assembly.

5. That the Assembly reaffirm the action of last General Assembly requiring all theological students after graduation, as well as all students from other colleges, and all licentiates who may be received by the General Assembly to spend a period of one year on a mission field, under appointment by the Board of Missions, the terms of appointment to be those of an Ordained Missionary, and that a certificate of such service shall be secured before they shall be eligible to be called by a congregation.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

A. M. HILL, *Chairman.*

J. W. MacNAMARA, *Secretary.*

Appended are the Reports of the work of the Board for the year 1938.

HOME MISSION REPORT

Reports of Synodical Missionaries

THE SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

1938

This Synod embraces the Provinces of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and the Island of Newfoundland. The six Presbyteries which go to make up the Synod are widely separated from each other. Isolation is written upon the very map that shows the bounds of the Synod. Thus each Presbytery is largely left to work out its own problems, for only once a year has the whole membership an opportunity of meeting together. Thus there are many difficulties in the way of co-operation and supervision.

The six Presbyteries covering this wide territory are working, as best they can, to carry on the work of the Presbyterian Church. Each Presbytery has the oversight of the various congregations and is responsible for the Mission Fields within its bounds. Good work was done by the student missionaries in the different fields during the past summer. During the past year a canvass was made of all the Augmented charges throughout the Synod.

The Synod at the present time is made up of 42 Self-sustaining charges, in which there are 66 preaching stations, 31 Augmented charges with 69 preaching stations, 10 Home Mission fields with 26 preaching stations, 30 Mission fields with 70 preaching stations; in all, 113 charges with 233 preaching stations.

The rural population throughout the Maritimes is either stationary or declining. There is, therefore, little change or advancement in the membership of our Church. In 1925, after Church Union, our membership numbered 16,802. Our latest list of communicants is 19,334. A gain in thirteen years of 2,532 members, or an annual increase of 194. There are 93 ministers on the Roll at the present time: 72 in active service, and 21 on the Appendix to the Roll. This is the largest number of active ministers in the Maritime Synod since 1925.

Two congregations have been added to our Maritime Synod during the past year. Churchill congregation, Prince Edward Island, received from the Central Parish of the Church of Scotland; and Westminster congregation Sydney, Nova Scotia. There is also the group at Fontenelle, Quebec, received by the Presbytery of Miramichi.

Geo. S. Mitchell,
Convener.

THE SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

Report for 1938-39

The New North

Mining is likely to be one of the leading industries of Canada for many years to come. There are clear indications that the great North country stretching into the Arctic Circle is very rich in minerals. We may expect many large towns, small towns, and villages to spring up in the future where today there is nothing but waste country. If this is so, it is going to be a great opportunity and responsibility for our churches to go into all such places to preach the Gospel and to establish Christian institutions.

Val d'Or District

During the past year our Church has maintained a student in this district and has given a bonus of fifty dollars per month to Rev. Donald MacLeod who has been working there for some years. In my opinion this district offers the greatest opportunity of missionary work I have ever known. The first building lot in Val d'Or

was sold on the first day of August, 1934. On the first day of August, 1938, the town claimed a population of more than 7,000. People from all over the earth are there. Except the saloon, the pool-room, the dance hall, the moving picture house and such places, there is not any place where a young man can spend an evening outside of his boarding-house. Here lies the great opportunity of our Church. The same is true in many of the other mining towns springing up. I spent quite a while there last summer.

French

It seems likely that the time will come when Canada will be very largely French. In 1763 the French population of Canada was estimated at 65,000. The census of 1931 gives the number of French Canadians as 2,927,990, while it is estimated that there are about a million French Canadians and their descendents in the New England States. At the same rate of increase for a corresponding period, it will mean about 140,000,000 French in Canada. This is of vital interest to Canada. France 1789-1792, Mexico 1910-1920, Spain 1930-1939 likely give us the future history of Canada unless the Word of God is given to our French population. There seems a great opportunity at the present time.

Our two French Missions in Montreal are flourishing. In one of these 154 members have been received into full Communion in three years, a Session of four ordained elders has been formed, a Sunday School and an active Y.P.S. Mr. J. A. Smith is the missionary here. The other mission under Rev. J. A. Giguere continues to be largely attended. On one occasion more than 300 stood up to profess their faith in Jesus Christ and obedience to Him.

At Fontenelle the movement is too young to speak of with confidence. I visited there a few weeks ago and was very favourably impressed with Father D'Anjou. Evidently he has quite a large following in his revolt from the Church of Rome. In the past few months he has distributed about three hundred Bibles in the Gaspé Peninsula in response to requests by mail. Plans are being formulated for more aggressive work along this line. The opportunity and the responsibility is with us.

Money

The great question is how to secure money to support our work in various directions. Long experience has taught me to believe that any Church or organization that will undertake a task big enough and with sufficient energy and efficiency to arouse the interest of people, the financial support will be forthcoming.

Special Budget Campaign

After the congregations in the Presbytery of Montreal had completed their Budget efforts for 1938, the Presbytery decided to put on a Special Campaign to raise an additional amount to balance the Budget of the Church. A Committee was organized of which I was Secretary. Incidental to the campaign I prepared two pieces of literature, one entitled "A Bird's Eye View of the Activities of the Presbyterian Church in Canada". About 8,000 copies of this were mailed into the homes of the people in this Presbytery. The other was a Sunday School lesson for February 12th. This was used in almost all the Sunday Schools. Our Ministers, Sessions, Y.P.S., Women's organizations, and Sunday Schools gave splendid co-operation and we raised a special amount of over $15,000.

Office

My office duties continue to be heavy. My postage account for the year runs in the neighbourhood of $200.00 which indicates the extent of our correspondence. Then our office is made a clearing house for all things Presbyterian in this part of Canada.

Mission Fields

The mission work of the Synod of Montreal and Ottawa has been carried on much as usual during the past year. Pulpit supply has been arranged from my office for all congregations and mission fields within the Synod wherever such has been requested. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper has been dispensed in all the student mission fields. Baptisms, burials, and marriages have been performed and all the work in

connection with the supervision of the student mission fields and ordained mission fields has been attended to.

The encouraging feature of last year's mission work was the increase in the numbers on our student mission fields coming into full communion. One small field reports twelve, others five or six.

Italian

The Italian work in the city of Montreal continues to be carried on as usual. Our great need is a proper building. Plans for the same have been drafted. About $5,000.00 have been raised. We thank the W.M.S. for a contribution of $1,000.00. Before proceeding with the building we should have around $15,000 on hand. We have a most devoted and efficient missionary in Rev. R. De Pierro.

Tyndale House

The Tyndale House continues to do excellent work both in the city mission and the Tyndale House Camp. It will be difficult, however, to make any real progress here until a new building is secured. The work is carried on in two houses, built for private residences, which are very unsuitable for the type of work our mission aims to do.

Chinese Work

Very important re-organization has taken place in the Chinese work during the past year under the direction of Rev. D. A. Smith, Chinese Superintendent. The Chinese work, however, in Montreal continues to be hampered through the overlapping of the work of the United Church and the Presbyterian Church. If possible this situation should be cleared.

Leader's Conference, Huntingdon

As usual for a number of years past, our Leader's Conference was conducted at Huntingdon, Que., with the usual attendance. The Conference is conducted under the joint auspices of the Synod's Committee on S.S. and Y.P.S. and the Provincial of the W.M.S. Neither of these bodies make any monitary contribution to it. We have to find the money. Here we are indebted to the W.M.S. for the use of their excellent School Residence and the assistance of their efficient Matron. A great deal of good has been done by the Huntingdon Leader's Conference. A few years ago an elder whose son had attended our Conference said to me, "I do not know what you did to my son the week you had him there, but he is a completely different boy from what he was before. His whole outlook on life has been changed." That young man is today a member of the Board of Management of that Church, a worker in the S.S. and in the Y.P.S. A good many similar cases can be mentioned, both among the young men and the young women.

Incidentals—The Manse at Deseronto

In November last I had the opportunity of helping to save the manse at Deseronto from being sold for taxes. This valuable property was advertised for sale by the town Council. The Mission Board made a special grant towards saving it, and I had the responsibility of raising a considerable amount in addition.

The taxes have been cleared to the 31st of December, 1938. I am informed that this has greatly heartened our Presbyterians at Deseronto.

Marriage Laws, Quebec

A matter of great importance to our Church and all Protestant Churches is the question of the Marriage Laws of the Province of Quebec. Certain Judges have interpreted the Laws of our Province to mean that a marriage between two Roman Catholics, or a Protestant and a Roman Catholic, is not legal unless solemnized by a Roman Catholic Priest. On this ground marriages perfectly legal have been annuled from time to time. These annulments have disturbed the minds of our people with regard to the legality of their own marriage and that of their friends. If this interpretation of the law is allowed to prevail, it means that hundreds of homes in our City and Province are liable to be broken up as illegally constituted and thousands of children belonging to good homes are liable to be declared illegitimate with all that this means.

To meet this situation a Committee was organized representative of the various non-Roman Catholic Communions of the Province. I was appointed by the Presbytery of Montreal to represent the Presbyterians on it, and was appointed Secretary. As Secretary I have had the responsibility of preparing certain items of literature on the subject and to quite an extent the raising of funds necessary to pay the lawyer and court expenses. A distinguished lawyer was engaged by our Committee to defend Protestant rights. So far our activities have been successful.

I just mention the wonderful co-operation I have had from our ministers, students, ladies and all with whom I have worked.

ALLAN S. REID,
Synodical Missionary.

NORTHERN ONTARIO AND MANITOBA

1938-1939

In presenting my report for the year now ending, I wish more particularly to stress a few of the problems forcing themselves for our consideration.

First, however, I wish to make a few observations which I am sure will be of interest to the Board and to the Church. I wish to pay tribute to all the student missionaries who have served on the fields under my supervision. In no case has a failure been reported and indeed all might return again to the same fields this year in which they served so acceptably last year. Only in two cases have extra grants been asked for and one of these has not been a grant-receiving field but one which was overtaken by hail. The other was due to oversight and involved a very small amount.

In the matter of amalgamations and readjustments of fields, I believe we have already passed the limit and can go no further without closing the fields altogether. A study of the financial statements from year to year shows that as a result of amalgamations, readjustments, and careful supervision of fields, a saving has been effected amounting to over $6,000.00 annually without closing any of our fields, although in some cases our work has suffered. We are asking for a member from Knox College graduating class to take up the work in Selkirk, Winnipeg Presbytery.

Speaking now more particularly of Northern Ontario, the work within our three Northern Ontario Presbyteries goes on with a good deal of vigor. Geraldton, in the Presbytery of Superior, must receive special attention and we are asking for one of the graduating class of Knox College to take up the work there. We had hoped also to have another graduate to take up the work in Hawk Junction, in the Presbytery of Algoma, but owing to the financial condition of our Church we are decided to operate the field for another year as a student field, although we have an ordained minister there at student rates.

The history of Kirkland Lake is now well known throughout the Church. The two years of work there under the leadership of Rev. C. J. MacKay and Miss Macarthur must have appealed to our whole Church. Here are a few facts,—A new Church completed and equipped in every way with a seating capacity of 350 with an assembly room below; a membership of more than 150, all above 18 years of age; $300.00 contributed to the Budget, and approximately $12,000.00 contributed by the people for all purposes—all this in a period of two years. Three things have brought about these conditions,—First, the opportunity awaiting the Presbyterian Church there. Second, the nature of the leadership given, and third, the policy pursued by our minister in charge. That policy we commend to our whole Church. I quote from the minister's inaugural address: "As a result of the missionary interest of our whole Church in Kirkland Lake, I am to be your minister for two years and in keeping with such a spirit my policy is to have in every organization, which shall emerge from time to time, a missionary programme once a month in which all may become informed regarding the work of our Church at home and abroad and an opportunity given to support the same in every possible way. From the Mission Band to the Congregation itself this is the policy which will prevail during my

tenure of office here." With such a policy the above achievements were made possible.

We submit, therefore, that what has been done can be repeated. With such a triumphal entry of our Church into Kirkland Lake it is well known a similar opportunity awaits us in many other places in this vast region—Timmins with 14,000 inhabitants, no Presbyterian Church, South Porcupine and Dome 5,000 in each, no Presbyterian Church, the Red Lake region, destined to have a population of 500,000 people, no Presbyterian cause in sight.

Thus, in this connecting link between East and West with area three times as great as Great Britain, larger than France or Germany, with 50,000,000 acres of arable land for agriculture lying south of Sweden, with unlimited Hydro Electric power, unlimited forest wealth, unlimited mineral resources—everything in mining, lumbering, farming, manufacturing possibilities to make it an Empire equal to almost anything we have in Europe today.

Shall we as a Church go in and possess the land with the courage and vision of Caleb and Joshua, or shall we be content to live at ease on this side of the river and die in the wilderness?

Faithfully submitted,

W. M. MACKAY,
Synodical Missionary.

SASKATCHEWAN AND ALBERTA

1938

Once more we have to report a disappointing year in Saskatchewan. The reasons are not hard to find. For one thing the early promise of a good harvest was not realized in any full degree, and in addition, over wide-spread areas, 1938 was the latest in a succession of nine years of crop failure, during which disintegrating and demoralizing forces had been steadily at work. This, the latest year, finding the courage and morale of the people less equal to the strain, has taken a heavier toll.

The early signs of a harvest in the Province were very heartening, and hopes were high. Then about a fortnight before cutting should have begun, rust, grasshoppers, inadequate reserve moisture, and lack of rain, combined to frustrate every hope, leaving as a result over wide areas a repetition of the dreary, monotonous report "no harvest," with a desolate, disheartened people. If you have never seen the appalling devastation these forces can work in a comparatively short time, it is useless to try to picture it. If any of you have not already seen in the October 15th, 1938, number of *Maclean's Magazine*, "The Rain Came", by Edna Jacques, the well-known Canadian writer, read it. It is an intensely human, sympathetic story of Briercrest, Sask., by one who knows, for this was her home. Beginning with high optimism, born of signs which seemed so evidently to indicate hope, her story takes us over the whole gamut of human emotions, and stops just short of knowing the tragedy of a harvest that never materialized. In Alberta, conditions were much better. The destructive work of rust and grasshoppers was absent, and there was enough moisture in most districts to ensure a reasonable harvest, though the south eastern part of Alberta, near the Saskatchewan border, and the Peace River suffered severely from drought.

In both Provinces our work has been seriously hampered by our inability to get men for our fields. At Fort St. John, B.C., where in the summer of 1937 a new church was dedicated with high promise, we have not had a representative of our Church since the student returned to College in September of that year. This large district, north of the Peace River, about seventy miles from the end of the railway, and some one hundred and seventy-five miles from our nearest ordained minister at Grande Prairie, should have an ordained man, if it is to be served adequately. A graduate from one of our Colleges was appointed a year ago but declined, as did several others who were appealed to, which has not been to the benefit of the work there. In other fields junior students have come to our help for the winter, and have laboured to the best of their

ability, giving service which is much appreciated. In the very nature of the case, however, it is impossible for students to render the full service which such remote fields demand.

There are bright spots, however. At Swift Current, Sask., after the congregation had been without a home of its own since 1925, a new church was dedicated November 13th, 1938, giving them new hope and enthusiasm under the strong leadership of the Rev. C. Younger-Lewis. This advance step was made possible by a grant from the Ephraim Scott Estate to assist congregations in the Western Provinces to erect places of worship. Then in June, July, and August an extensive survey of the northern frontier of Saskatchewan was made by the Rev. Thos. Murphy, North Battleford. In this work the Board of Missions gave financial assistance, equal to that provided by the Synod. I quote briefly from Mr. Murphy's report: "It was a truly wonderful experience from a missionary and religious point of view which I had in meeting with these people of the Northland in their isolation. One wishes from the depths of one's heart that something of a permanent nature could be done for them, in bringing them the services of the Church they cling to and which they are so eager to have. I am sending a list of the families I was able to contact during the short space of time at my disposal. These number 125, all desiring to enroll for Sunday School by Post. I travelled over two thousand miles, and of course was always conscious of the fact that there was only a limited amount of money available for the work. One thing we have to show for the time and money spent is that the people are there, and also that there is a great need for their religious care, and a great longing on the part of the people to be served by our Church. All we need now is the faith and courage to take the path we see".

In Alberta, among the bright spots are increased budget givings, particularly in the Presbytery of Edmonton, which increased its contributions 45 per cent. The opportunity of beginning work in the Turner Valley Field is another bright spot. At a public meeting held there on the occasion of a visit by the Rev. T. A. Rodger, the Synod's Missionary Convener, an interested group promised subscriptions to the amount of $720.00 a year if work were begun. One great handicap here is a suitable building for the services. Not only would the erection of a building greatly increase the cost, but besides, on account of the rapid extension of the field southward, the best location for a church is difficult to determine at the present time. This will be dealt with more in detail by Mr. Rodger in his report.

A day spent at Bassano, Presbytery of Calgary, March 5th, last, was for me another interesting experience. Before visiting them to dispense Communion, I was told that there would be some baptisms, and that some young people were seeking to unite with the church, but I was not prepared for the twenty-six who came forward for baptism that day, nor for the delight of receiving into full Communion nineteen young people, all on profession of faith. It was a delight for me to receive them, and I am sure it must have been a great joy and satisfaction to Mr. Ernest L. Skerritt, who has been superintendent of the Sunday School for over twenty years, and to his faithful band of teachers, through whose hands nearly all these young people had passed, to see that day the fruit of their labours. I want to bear tribute, too, to the fine work of Mr. Richard Main, missionary-in-charge. Mr. Main is not a minister. He is not even a student for the ministry. He is a lay worker, an elder, with the supreme gift of an attractive personality, which wins the confidence of young and old alike, so that they come to him freely to talk over their problems and hopes, and to seek his guidance. For me it was a great day and I went away greatly heartened.

The development of the Hungarian work in the Province, since the coming to Calgary of the Rev. Dr. Kalman Toth, is another encouraging feature. Through the efforts of the people of that city under Dr. Toth's inspiration and guidance, with some financial assistance from the Board of Missions, a new place of worship is nearing completion, to be dedicated Easter Sunday. In addition, in the province there is urgent need for work amongst Hungarians in a wide area centering around Lethbridge in the south, and also in a large district in the Presbytery of Edmonton, west of Leduc in the north. Each district requires the care and oversight of a minister.

At Vegreville in the Presbytery of Edmonton, where following the closing of the W.M.S. Hospital and the Boys' and Girls' Residences, our mission work seemed for a time to be weakened, a very fine piece of constructive work is in process under the leadership of Miss Ruby Walker, deaconess-in-training. In this connection we would like to express to the W.M.S. our great appreciation for their splendid assistance through deaconesses, nurses and workers at several points where, without them, the work would have been impossible. This is the spirit of co-operation which builds up our Church and helps it to maintain its fine missionary traditions. Details of Presbytery and congregational work are contained in Reports of Synod Conveners.

Speaking of traditions leads to the conviction that it might be well to pause for a moment to take stock, to endeavour to see if, through the years, we have always been cultivating the right attitude, and have been making progress in the right direction. That there has been development since 1925 is beyond dispute. We have more fields, more preaching stations, more churches, more members. That is, in the things which can be seen, tabulated, and set out on statistical forms, we have much to show. But this alone is not sufficient for a safe judgment. No judgment of what has been accomplished can be complete, or in any real sense satisfying, unless all sides are considered, the unseen as well as the seen, the spiritual as well as the material. John, in his third epistle, has given us the correct standard: "Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth." There is the basis for a proper judgment. The safe measure of prosperity is always the prosperity of the soul.

Judged by this standard what can these years show? Have they brought to us a better understanding of why we continued our Church? Have they given us a clearer vision of the purpose and mission for which the Church stands? Have they brought to us a deeper conviction regarding the principles on which our historic Church is founded, and have they given us a clearer recognition of our responsibility for the propagation of these principles? Is the reality of the spiritual more deeply rooted in our convictions, and are we giving this a more distinctive place in our preaching and living? Are we realizing more clearly the place and power of the Holy Spirit in all our work, and are we stressing this more uncompromisingly in the face of the destructive materialism which abounds? The Church holds the key to the solution of the world's need to-day, *viz.*, the Gospel. Is it proclaiming its message with assurance so that none may be in doubt? What do the years show?

To me the results are disappointing. They are not commensurate with the great opportunity. The Church seems to have lost its power, to have missed its way. In the pursuit of lesser things it seems to have missed the great thing, *viz.*, to lead men back to God by itself getting closer to Him. I believe the time is unprecedented in opportunities for reaching men and for releasing throughout our land the marvellous power of the Holy Spirit, by the courageous proclamation of the gospel of the Grace of God through the redeeming love of Jesus Christ. I believe that the hour presents not only a challenge, but an ultimatum. If to-day the Church does not meet the present crisis by a more adequate presentation of the truth entrusted to her, in the Providence of God other means will be found.

One of our most urgent needs is men for the work of the ministry. Why the General Assembly does not sit up and face this crying need, is entirely beyond my comprehension. We know that we are not training men as fast as death and retirement remove ministers. We know that many fields are not properly manned and that the work is suffering. We know we have colleges enough to train plenty of men. Why are we not getting the men? This I realize is not a question for this Board to settle, but surely, it is a question which this Board, as the one which suffers most, should take steps to bring before the General Assembly, where it can be dealt with in a positive, constructive way. Because we cannot get properly trained men, fields we now have are going to pieces, and the question forces itself upon us how long can this go on, and what will the end be? As to the solution there will be many different opinions, and among them some one will probably have the correct procedure, but this gets us nowhere until the Assembly, fully impressed with the need, decides as to a solution and puts it into effect.

To trifle longer with a question so serious in its implications is verging closely on the borders of sheer stupidity. Surely some help can be given and given without delay.

Perhaps our greatest problem is the stabilizing and increasing of our Budget revenue for the general work of our Church. For some years this has been on the decline. In dealing with this problem I feel that our approach has not always been of the best. When revenue is not sufficient for legitimate expenditure two methods may be followed: first, decrease the expenditure; second, increase the revenue. In the past we have been giving altogether too much attention to the former to the neglect of the latter. But an address to which we listened a short time ago by the Rev. Dr. Stuart Parker, indicates a change in prospect. His constructive outline was so suggestive, so stimulating, so heartening that I shall shorten my report by cutting out what I had in mind. I would like, however, to sound a warning against a tendency, exceedingly dangerous, manifesting itself in recent years in our Church, *viz.*, the growing habit among younger ministers of abnormally short pastorates. When a minister, within eighteen months of his ordination, finds himself in his second charge, as has happened more than once, what contribution of value can he make in that short time towards helping a congregation to face its obligations to the general work of the Church? Is it any wonder congregations fail?

The proposals put forth by Dr. Parker for the Budget and Stewardship Committee, I commend to the careful study of everyone, and plead for full co-operation, so that with courage and enthusiasm our Church may face the future, considering not how she may retrench but how she may advance.

H. R. HORNE,
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Regina, April, 1939.

CHINESE WORK IN CANADA

1938

The past year, amongst the Chinese in Canada, has been, because of conditions in China, a year filled with much anxiety and sadness. Despite that, or, maybe, because of that, there has been in all departments of our work, a deepening interest in our Christian message. This we feel, bespeaks the promise of even greater progress.

"A new chapter of the Acts is being written, today, in blood." So writes a missionary from the war devastated area of China. "Like the persecuted Christians of the Early Church," he says, "the Chinese are going out into the provinces and towns to tell the story of faith and hope, as it is in Christ." In refugee camps the Word is being preached, and thousands are listening gladly. In hospitals, where permission has been willingly granted by the Chinese government, to carry the Message, more and more the wounded there are accepting Christ and offering themselves for holy baptism. This spirit is being reflected here in Canada making many to renew their interest in the doctrines of Jesus.

As we review our Chinese work for the year we see several indications of advancement. Let us look briefly at some of these.

I. *Population.*—This is placed at 55,000. It is not increasing, nor is it diminishing much. Removals by death are offset by births. New homes, however, especially among native-born young men and women, are being set up. Last year in Toronto and Victoria alone, there were 9 marriages. This is a new phase and will more firmly establish the various mission centres. Sudbury, which a few years ago, had no Chinese women, now has 6. During the past few months, also, a large number of native-born boys and girls have been returning from China because of conditions there, to take up residence again in Canada. This they may do under the Immigration Act.

II. *Workers.*—Several changes in the working staff took place during the year. We were fortunate, in our need, to have the experienced assistance in Toronto of Dr. Jessie MacBean, and, later, Mrs. H. O. T. Burkwall, both of South China. At the beginning of the year, however, Miss Fay McTavish was appointed to take charge of women and children's work in Toronto. Mrs. G. P. Louie, Chinese worker in Vancouver,

retired temporarily from the work. We are hoping that her valuable services will be available again soon. We were fortunate in securing Mrs. F. Y. Louie, wife of our Vancouver Chinese teacher, and herself a teacher, recently arrived from China to assist us in Vancouver till we find a permanent worker. Also, Mr. Solomon Leung, our Chinese Student, is now well again, and has been reappointed to Montreal.

There are 19 workers in the field. 11 are Chinese. 5 of the 19 are part time workers. We have three ordained Chinese ministers. We are most anxious that a fourth may soon be secured.

Referring, as we do, to our workers, we would not forget the large and faithful band of voluntary workers who are in this work from the Atlantic to Pacific. These form a most active, and necessary part of our staff. In homes, classes, and missions they give unstintedly of their time, their patience, and substance to forward our work. We could not begin to overtake it, especially in the outlying districts, without them.

III. *Literature.*—An important part of our mission is the distribution of tracts, Bible portions, and S.S. lesson helps in Chinese and English. In this way we are trying to keep in touch with the scattered families. We find, in many cases, the fathers interpret these Chinese lessons to the children, thus benefiting themselves. Moreover, the men, with so many out of work just now, are taking a reading interest in these Scripture messages, especially where it tells of God's love and power in their own China.

Under the Provincial W.M.S., both in Saskatchewan and Alberta, S.S. helps were sent to all the families. These were often accompanied by letters of encouragement. In B.C. 66 children enjoyed these Chinese and English picture cards and magazines. At Christmas and Easter, also, they received some special recognition. In this way, therefore, these less privileged outlying families receive Christian instruction. As one girl, in acknowledging a letter sent, said, "We are all trying to do as you tell us, and pray every day for China and our people."

IV. *The Work Among the Children.*—Each year this work grows in importance. There is, today, great interest manifested in Sunday Schools; Mission Bands; English and Chinese classes; Scouts; C.G.I.T.'s, and Kindergartens. Oftentimes, the children form our only link with the homes, especially with non-Christian ones. How this contact may ultimately help is excellently illustrated in the case of 2 children, who by their attendance at Kindergarten and S.S., led later to the baptism of the whole family—father, mother, the older son, and daughters. Truly "a little child shall lead them." Throughout all our Sunday Schools there is a marked increase in attendance, which is most encouraging.

Daily Bible Vacation Schools were held with growing success at four points, Montreal, Toronto, Vancouver and Victoria. Over 130 children attended these schools. Much Bible and hymn memory work was done, and contacts made for S.S. At Vancouver a Girls' camp was held, offering even greater opportunity for Bible Study.

At *Montreal*, the work, especially among the young, has been thoroughly reorganized. Several new groups, in consequence, were started:— A Scout troop with 17 members, a Girls' Teen-age study club with 14. Recreation hours, under supervision, for boys and Girls of different ages, were also begun. All these are proving most helpful. Several voluntary teachers have also been secured. We have thus been able to link up the week-day work with the Sabbath School Service, and so give continuity to the teaching. All this new work, of course, is in addition to what was already established and carried on in the past.

V. *The Young People.*—In this department, also, there are evidences of much new interest among the Chinese. This is especially true regarding religious matters, and so the Bible. The special recognition of Christianity in China today is, in large measure, bringing this about. When no less a person than the head of the Government, Generalissimo Chiang Kai Shek, so unhesitatingly makes his public confession of faith in Christ, one does not wonder at this interest. A short time ago, General Chiang Kai Shek made this avowal, "I am a true follower of Dr. Sun Yat Sen, and his revolution, based on his principles, but I found that I had to take a further step and become a

follower of Jesus Christ.'' This is a far-reaching and significant statement and is having a profound effect on Chinese life.

A new Y.P.S. was formed recently at Ottawa, under Mr. Paul Chan, the Chinese teacher there. This group, as well as others, are most anxious to fit themselves, not only for service in their own community, but to take a deeper interest in Canadian life and institutions. For instance, this group invited the Ottawa Mayor to address them, while the Mission itself, at its annual social function, was honoured by the presence of Lady Tweedsmuir.

Toronto, also, has a thriving Y.P.S. At one meeting there were 47 present. Visits from, and to, our own Canadian Y.P. Societies are being especially encouraged here. This is proving most helpful in creating understanding, and will assist tremendously in solving the young Chinese problem in this country.

Vancouver and Victoria Y.P.S., are equally ardent in their work. Special plans are even now underway to increase their membership. Victoria is aiming at a new membership mark of 100 during the next two years.

VI. *Other Mission Activities.*—Under this general heading let us put a number of significant and interesting parts of the work.

(*a*) *Open-Air Services.*—One of the most important is the conducting of summer open-air services. At Toronto as many as 300 of a Sabbath will listen in to the service amplified by loud-speaker. Because of patriotic Chinese interests, these days, more men than before congregate in the different China-towns. This increases the interest. Moreover, as one of our Chinese preachers pointed out, these last 8 years have seen a tremendous change in the attitude of the Chinese men to the Gospel message. Before that, they would scoff, openly at times, and noisily interrupt, making light of the preaching. That is not at all true today. They are quiet, attentive, and eagerly interested. We see from this how important these meetings are.

(*b*) *Mixed Marriages.*—In Toronto, under Mrs. Adams, formerly a missionary to North China, an excellent piece of work is being done among white women married to Chinese. This is a difficult work, but one that demands attention. There are almost 200 such women in the city. Visiting in the homes, weekly meetings for hand work and Bible Study, are proving most helpful. This year the class decided to work for the support of a Bible woman in our Manchuria mission. In Montreal there is also a very pressing problem of intermarriage. Plans are now being considered to meet this need also.

(*c*) *Windsor.*—At Windsor, this past summer, special services were conducted by Mr. Paul Chan, the Chinese teacher at Ottawa. A little earlier, also, the second annual Chinese Communion Service was held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church there. This service was well attended, and much welcomed by the Chinese Christians. There is a Chinese school here, most of the children attending the St. Andrew's S.S. There is also a class in the city for the women.

(*d*) *Victoria W.M.S.*—The Chinese W.M.S. in Victoria is a most active and influential group. They set for themselves a programme whereby every member of the Auxiliary will take part, many even leading the various meetings. What is of even greater interest, is that every month 2 members pay visits to the Chinese homes in the city. They paid an average of 17 calls a month during the year. This has greatly strengthened the work of the church.

(*e*) *Baptisms.*—One of the most encouraging phases of the work for last year, was the large number of baptisms taking place. For instance, at Toronto there were 5, while 4 joined by certificate. At Ottawa, and in Knox Presbyterian Church there, no fewer than 8 persons were baptized, 6 adults, and 2 children, 5 coming forward to Communion. While at Vancouver 16 were baptized, 11 were adults, 5 children. Two others joined by certificate making a total for the year of 18. Two of the largest attended Communion services were held last year in Vancouver, 49 and 55 partaking of the Sacrament.

VII. *Growth of Missionary Responsibility.*—Under this general head we would like to tell something of the givings of the Chinese to the work of the Church. Let us point out, however, that apart from the mere matter of giving, this responsibility is being taught to old and young alike as a definite part of their Christian training.

For the first time in the history of the work every organized centre contributed to the Budget of the Church. This is, to those of us in the work, most gratifying.

Toronto congregation, for the first time, contributed, sending $25. This is also true of the Y.P.S. who gave $4. Cooke's Chinese Primary department contributed $18. Altogether to the Church and W.M.S. Toronto Chinese gave $57.

Victoria congregation gave to the Budget $270. This is an increase of $70 over last year. The W.M.S. also gave $57. This was $7 over their allocation. That makes a total from the two of $327. Moreover, Church pews were purchased by the Congregation at a cost of $100, as well as new electric lamps costing $25. All these of course were in addition to meeting the running expenses of the Mission.

Vancouver congregation exceeded its allocation to the Budget by $8. They raised $188. That was $38 over last year. It is interesting to note that the extra $8 was raised specially by the Y.P.S. to help support a Chinese preacher in Manchuria, whose salary is paid by the Vancouver Y.P.S. Association. The Vancouver W.M.S. exceeded their allocation by $37—raising altogether $72. This included the first Chinese W.M.S. life membership presented to our Chinese woman worker. $200 was also paid off the Building Fund debt. The salary of the Chinese teacher was also paid as well as all the running expenses which are heavy.

The Montreal Mission also contributed to the Budget, for the first time, though the Mission Band, had previously contributed to the W.M.S. It has now been decided there that the first collection of each month at the Sunday School Service will go to the Budget.

May we point out that in addition to all these organized points, there are many individual Chinese who contribute through local Presbyterian Churches, to the Budget of the Church. This applies to places East and West. These, of course, cannot be recorded but are often actuated by the fact that our Church is helping with the Gospel message their Chinese people in other parts.

VIII. *Red Cross.*—The Chinese today are also contributing much for relief and Red Cross work in China. A great deal of money has been raised. This of course has been augmented by generous subscriptions from Canadian people. Through our Chinese Churches alone a sum of approximately $1,200 (gold) has been forwarded as well as specially knitted woollen garments; clothing; and medical equipment. Since the invasion has now extended to South China, the great havoc being wrought has come very close home to our Canadian Chinese. The parents, and the wives and children of our Chinese are in that area. You can realize the tension created, and the anxiety amongst them today because of this.

IX. *The Oriental Problem in B.C.*—The discussion of this difficult problem has greatly increased of recent months. Especially does this apply to the rapid growth of the Japanese population in that Province. While that does not particularly come under the review of our report this matter has a most direct bearing none the less on our Chinese work, since what is said about one section of the Oriental population in time and in turn, is usually applied to all. Regarding the solution of this problem this may be said, that while many persons and parties are ardently discussing it, few constructive suggestions are advanced. The Church, in the meantime is at work solving it through Him, who alone has power so to do. That being the case, at no point, therefore, must the Church slacken its interest or its effort, but rather redouble it, FOR HIS IS THE WAY.

X. Madame Chiang Kai Shek, in a statement written by her on her Christian stand wrote thus— ''Life is really very simple, and yet how complicated we make it. In old Chinese art there is just one outstanding object, perhaps a flower on a scroll. Everything else in the picture is subordinated to that one beautiful thing.

In *my* life'' she asked ''what is that flower? As I feel it now, it is the will of God in Christ.''

This, too, is the centre of all our mission work. As Prime Minister Chamberlain put it the other week when addressing, in London, the Foreign Correspondents there, ''Great as may be the obstacles, discouraging as maybe the outlook in certain aspects, I believe it is possible to attain our goal . . . provided,'' and this we would emphasize, ''provided we can keep our Purpose firm, our Courage undaunted, and our Faith untarnished.'' These three, purpose, courage, and faith we need in large measure in all our missionary labours, and not the least in bringing the Lord Jesus Christ and His saving health into the heart and life of China, and the Chinese people in this land. ''Not by might, not by power, but by My Spirit,'' saith the Lord.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID A. SMITH.

ITALIAN MISSION, HAMILTON

The Italian Mission, Hamilton, is under the administration of St. Andrew's Church. We have no missionary, either English or Italian-speaking. The work is done by the members of the group, and by visiting laymen. Though not large in numbers, there is a very devout and active membership, and the church has the distinction of having almost as many at the Prayer Meetings as at Sunday services. The Sunday School meets in the morning, when instruction is given in both languages. In the evening the service is wholly in English. One of St. Andrew's elders, Mr. Thomas Blackman, takes his turn regularly in the pulpit and represents St. Andrew's at all times.

This year, though times are hard here industrially, the mission asked for a reduction of its grant, and at the same time reduced its mortgage indebtedness by $100.00. An Italian-speaking missionary or student would be invaluable, but all recognize that the state of the Church's finances does not permit of such an appointment. But the mission is in good heart; the members, nearly all former Roman Catholics, are great in faith and devoted in service.

C. L. COWAN,
Convener.

Non-Anglo-Saxon Work

HUNGARIAN WORK IN TORONTO

''Perserverence'' is the word which would characterize the members of the first Toronto Hungarian Congregation. ''Ask, and it shall be given you . . .'' said the good Lord and Master. In order to ''ask'' for anything, one must feel the ''need'' of a thing! No doubt, these people did feel the ''need'' of a church building! Having over six thousand Hungarians in our ''Queen City'' and without a single church building, the members of this small congregation felt an urge within their hearts, and began to ''ask'' for a church building six years ago. They never became tired of ''asking'', and finally they received it!

The new church is situated at 206 McCaul Street, approximately 700 feet below College Street, on the West Side. The size of the lot is 40 x 135 feet. It was purchased in 1936. In July, 1937, the Women's Missionary Society gave a wonderful helping hand to the congregation, by granting them the sum of $1,000.00 to wipe out the existing mortgage of $2,000.00 on the land. The congregation was encouraged more than ever before by this kind deed. Now, they had something real which they were entitled to call their own. The congregation continued saving for the new church.

The minister of the congregation who, for some three years studied Architecture before entering the ministry, began to prepare plans for the new church. When

the plans and specifications were ready, everyone visualized the new, and the first Hungarian Presbyterian Church, which now is a reality! This inspired the people to give (out of the little they had) as much as anyone may expect under their circumstances.

Then, by special permission of the Presbytery, the minister visited as many congregations in Toronto as invited him to speak about his people, and appealed for financial aid. Visiting twelve city churches, the congregation thus received a total sum of over seven hundred dollars towards the new church. The Women's Missionary Society again made a grant of five hundred dollars. Three hundred dollars were received as a gift from the ''Kent Estate'', New St. James Church, London, Ont., and another three hundred dollars from ''Knox Trust Fund'', Knox Church, Toronto. A two-hundred dollar gift came from the *Toronto Daily Star*. Besides these large gifts, the congregation received real help from many individual members of our great Presbyterian Church who took vital interest in ''this type of missionary work among the new Canadians.'' Gifts were received, anywhere from one cent to fifty dollars, ''to help to build the first Hungarian Church in Toronto''. Truly, without these ''helps'' the beautiful edifice, which now stands to the Glory of God, could not have been a reality in such a short period, taking into consideration the circumstances of the new Canadians, especially that of the members of this congregation, half of whom were, and still are, on relief. Through these lines, on behalf of this congregation, sincere gratitude and appreciation is extended to each and every one who, by their love and interest came to help the weak!

The congregation assumed responsibility for two mortgages. The first mortgage is $4,000.00 at 5% interest per annum, payable half-yearly, together with $50.00 on account of the principal. The second mortgage is $2,000.00 at 5% interest per annum, which is to be paid after a period of three years. It is being held by the Trustees of the Church and Manse Board of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

As soon as finances were in shape, and the permission of the Presbytery of Toronto to build, were received, arrangements were made for the breaking of the ground. A beautiful and solemn service, conducted by the Rev. C. K. Nicoll, Moderator of the Toronto Presbytery, marked the memorable moment in the lives of the Hungarians, which took place on Saturday afternoon, October 22, 1938. The most impressing moment came when the Rev. Dr. John Gibson Inkster, minister of Knox Church, Toronto, pressed the silver spade deep down into the ground, which now is holy ground.

The Corner-stone was laid by a prominent Presbyterian gentleman, Mr. John Wanless, on Saturday afternoon, November 5, 1938. This service was also conducted by the Presbytery of Toronto, in which hundreds of people participated. These services were bi-lingual, since both English and Hungarian were used.

There is one thing which cannot be described; and that is that happy and proud expression on the faces of those members and adherents of the Hungarian Church who, because of unemployment, were cheated out of the happiness of giving cash gifts towards the new church building, but now, were able to ''do something'' for the church, and render valuable service for the good of the cause, in giving their voluntary labour.

In three months' time, the building was completed. On Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m., February 5th, 1939, the church was opened and dedicated for worship to the Glory of God, and for the saving of souls. The unparalleled Service in the history of the Canadian Hungarians was led by the Presbytery of Toronto. The Service was attended by a mixed congregation of six hundred Canadians and Hungarians. There were many who were unable to gain admission. All possible space was occupied in the building both above and below. With the aid of an amplifier, those who were below in the Sunday School Room, were able to hear every word. Rev. James MacKay, D.D., of London, Ontario, preached the sermon, with other ministers participating. Special evening services followed the grand opening service on the following week with special speakers. The building was filled to capacity each time.

The Presbytery of Toronto held its regular monthly session in this new church on the 7th day of February. At noon the Hungarian ladies received the members of the Presbytery as their guests for a real ''chirkepaprikás'' Hungarian chicken dinner!

"Surprise" and "satisfaction" are the words that would describe the first impression of every visitor of the new Hungarian Church in Toronto. For this wonderful accomplishment the Hungarian congregation can say but one thing: "Soli Deo Gloria"! Surely, as Mrs. Steinmetz said, "The most magnificent cathedral could not inspire the Hungarians to more profound worship and reverence for God than this their own House of Worship."

There is the church auditorium, simply, but well furnished. The minister's study, choir-room and board-room, used also as library. Below is a large Sunday School Room with 200 chairs. There is a kitchen, furnace-room and other conveniences. The heating system is steam. The total cost of the building material and labour is $9,827.98. The cost of furnishings is $1,732.99, a total of $11,560.97. Taking into account the preparation of plans and supervision of construction, personally by the minister, as well as all the voluntary labour, these amount to at least $2,500.00. With the value of the land at $4,000.00, the total asset is $18,060.97.

In spite of the tremendous responsibility which fell upon the shoulders of the minister in connection with the building, pastoral duties were discharged as usual.

A revision of the Communion Roll was made by the Session, which removed 21 names from the Roll. Fifteen members moved away from Toronto, one died and five were removed due to non-attendance. During the year 11 new members were received, bringing the revised Roll to 95 communicants in full standing. There were 9 baptisms, all of which were children. There were three marriages. Holy Communion was dispensed six times during the year. There were twelve regular joint meetings of the Board and Session, and one special meeting. There were two congregational meetings and six meetings of the church building committee. Special services and socials were held 15 times by the congregation. Your missionary had the honour and privilege of preaching in Canadian churches as well as addressing church groups 23 times during the year of 1938. Towards the Budget of the Church, the congregation contributed $33.19.

The following is a time-table, showing how the congregation and its organizations spend the week:—

Divine Worship, Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Sunday School, 9.30 to 10.30 a.m., in Hungarian.
Sunday School at 3 p.m., in English.
Young People's Society, meeting every Tuesday at 8 p.m.
Prayer Meeting every Wednesday at 8 p.m.
Board and Session meeting first Thursday of each month at 8 p.m.
Choir practice every Friday evening at 8 p.m.
Women's Association meeting last Friday of each month at 8 p.m.
Periodical cultural and social gatherings on Saturday evenings.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES STEINMETZ.

THE TILLSONBURG, DELHI HUNGARIAN FIELD

This field of labour is a brand new one. In the neighborhood of Tillsonburg and Delhi, there are approximately 500 to 600 Hungarian families who are settled permanently in the district and are engaged in the industry of tobacco growing.

Acting upon the request of Dr. MacNamara, the present Secretary of the Mission Board, as well as responding to the letters written by Hungarians of Tillsonburg and Delhi, and on the other hand being urged by the Rev. Dr. A. C. Cochrane, minister of St. Andrew's Church, Tillsonburg, your missionary promptly responded to the call to visit Tillsonburg, to make a survey as far as possible, and conduct services.

With the kind co-operation of the people of St. Andrew's Church and its minister in Tillsonburg, arrangements were made for two Hungarian services on Monday, December 26th, 1938. At the morning service there were about 200 present and about half of this number participated in the Communion Service.

A second visit to Tillsonburg was made by your missionary upon request of the Hungarians, and service was held on Sunday afternoon at 5 p.m., January 8, 1939. There were over 125 people present.

The third visit was made on February 19th, 1939. Service was held with Communion at 4.30 p.m. Weather conditions were anything but favourable on this day. Heavy snow and rain made it impossible for the people to travel even the Highway. Roads were blocked. So the attendance at this time was hardly more than 40.

Acting upon further request by the Hungarians as well as upon the request of the Home Mission Sub-Executive, a fourth visit had been arranged to Tillsonburg by your missionary to conduct services, dispense Communion, and baptize on Easter Monday, April 10th, 1939, at 9.30 a.m.

Your missionary is pleased to report, that these good people are very eager to be organized into a congregation, and to have a minister settled over them.

The prospect seems to be very bright and it is the conviction of your missionary that under favourable conditions this congregation to be, would become self-supporting.

The congregation of St. Andrew's has shown the deepest sympathy with the movement and has agreed to place their church at the disposal of these Hungarians until other arrangements can be made.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES STEINMETZ.

UKRAINIAN MISSION, TORONTO

REPORT FOR 1938

I. *Our progress.*—During the past year we were able to build up a S.S. of about 80 children, with attendance from 40 to 70 scholars. Our S.S. consists mostly of Ukrainians, but we have representatives of other nationalities also. I was able to secure for our S.S. very well-trained teachers, not only good and sincere Christians, but also well versed in the Word of God and experienced in teaching.

We received during the year 16 new candidates for the membership in the Church. Some of them are already received into full membership and others wait for their time. We have a period of probation for every new member. Now the attitude of the majority of Ukrainians is friendly towards our work and we could have a far larger membership if we would lower, a little, our demands from our members. However, we do not think that it would work for the good of the mission.

In order to reach different districts, we were holding our Sunday night meetings and prayer meetings in the houses of our members. This type of the work is less formal and allows a discussion of problems with those that come and it proves to be a good method for removed districts.

Mr. R. Campbell, Mr. W. Campbell, and Miss M. Campbell were indispensable in our S.S. work and our people much appreciated their efforts.

II. *The need of Christian literature.*—For years communists without any opposition were flooding Ukrainians with atheistic literature. Books, pamphlets and newspapers were brought in in large quantities and freely distributed or circulated. Considering this situation, I thought that something should be done at least locally to show the people the baselessness of atheistic assertions, especially in view of their statements which counted on an ignorant audience. They asserted that science proved long ago that there is no God, etc. In my plans I was helped by the Women's Missionary Society Interboard committee, and a gift from a friend. I decided to send out personal letters to individual Ukrainians discussing in them questions of religious and moral value. Results of this effort were encouraging. It brought to our mission many new persons and increased our S.S. Every time I send out letters we have a good attend-

ance the following Sunday. Atheists are more careful in their statements in our district. I received many letters of thanks and personal acknowledgments for the letters. In many houses, where two or three families live, these letters are discussed by the occupants together. I was sending these letters on request to other places, as the need in Christian literature is acute everywhere among Ukrainians in Canada. As a result of it new groups of Protestants spring up in different places. The letters prepare the ground and then some local man with initiative organizes them into groups. I had communications from such a new group in Sask. There are indications that a good work could be done among Ukrainians in northern mining towns Sudbury, Timmins and others. There are thousands of Ukrainian miners who are neglected even by such an omniscient religious body as the Roman Catholic Church. I sent, during the year, more than 2,500 letters. I did all the work myself. The cost of a letter was about 2½c, postage included. I am intending to continue this work as results prove that I made a step in a right direction. Through this method I am making new contacts and new friends.

III. *Our difficulties.*—We are yet situated on the fourth floor in Dale Church. The temperature in our rooms during the winter was never above freezing point. It was cold enough to kill any work, but in our case it failed to do so and we are able to report an increase. In January and February of this year, it was so cold in the rooms where we worship that we were forced to close our S.S. We reopened it recently. Conditions of work in Dale Church are very difficult and our congregation is considering the plan of buying a lot in the district and building at least a basement for our work.

Our main difficulty is that a majority of the people are on relief and those that work scarcely earn enough for their living.

We are looking forward with confidence, and I am certain, that I am not mistaken when I state that there is a growing appreciation among the majority of Ukrainians in Toronto, for the kind and generous interest of the Presbyterian Church in their spiritual conditions.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL FESENKO.

UKRAINIAN MISSION, OSHAWA

REPORT FOR 1938

I am happy to have this opportunity of sending you a report of my work, which, properly speaking, is the work of the Presbyterian Church in Canada among the Ukrainian people in Oshawa.

There are about 1,500 Ukrainians in Oshawa and vicinity, and four Ukrainian churches to serve the spiritual needs of these people, namely, one Roman Catholic, two Greek Orthodox and our Presbyterian Church. A large proportion of these people are not connected with any church, though originally they belonged either to the Roman Catholic or the Greek Orthodox churches.

As in other places throughout Canada, so in Oshawa, there is a great deal of competition among these Ukrainian church groups, each trying to force its particular point of view upon the others, especially upon those that have no church connection. The Ukrainian Presbyterian Church does not lag behind in this respect. We are an aggressive congregation and with God's help we have been able to gather into our church most of the more intelligent individuals from among the Ukrainian population of this city. Many of the leading and highly respected Ukrainians of this community are either members or adherents of our church. And it is this particular feature of our work that both the Roman Catholic and the Greek Orthodox priests dislike mostly.

Each of the non-evangelical groups proclaims itself the Ukrainian national church and maintains that it is the patriotic duty of every good Ukrainian to support it. All of them are indignant at the Ukrainian Presbyterians for engaging in mission work among the Ukrainian people, thinking that they have a prior claim. However, this does not deter us from our course. We are of the opinion that in a free country like

Canada no church could hold vested rights in anybody and we think that the new Canadians of Ukrainian extraction should be given an opportunity to understand and accept, if they wish, the Protestant views and doctrines, which are held by most of the Canadian Christians.

In this struggle for religious freedom of the individual (something that many Ukrainians can not understand nor appreciate) our Ukrainian Presbyterian church represents the Protestant view as it is interpreted by the Presbyterian Church in Canada, and I am glad to say that the influence of our church is noticeable even in the lives of those that belong to non-evangelical churches, as well as in the Ukrainian community life in general. Even those that disagree with us acknowledge this fact.

We have a very comfortable church building. There is a 1,200 dollar mortgage on the property. We were able to start paying on the principal only two and a half years ago and thus far have paid 800 dollars.

There is much unemployment in Oshawa at present, and some of our people were either without work or only partly employed in 1938, and were not able to contribute much. This means that those that were employed had to contribute more. And they did. In 1938 the amount raised by our congregation was 884 dollars, which is 226 dollars more than we raised in 1937. Out of this amount the congregation paid the interest on the mortgage; 300 dollars on the principal, taxes, insurance, fuel, light and water bills, budget allocation, etc.

We hold two church services every Sunday, with the exception of July and August when the evening services are omitted. We have a good church choir, consisting mostly of young people. Our organist and the choir leader work free of charge. The organist has played for us every Sunday, both morning and evening, for the past eleven years and refuses to accept remuneration for his services. Our janitors, who are members of the congregation, change every two months and work gratis. We have a Sunday School with about 50 scholars and a very active Ladies' Aid Society, which contribute much toward the upkeep of the church.

We feel grateful to the General Board of Missions for the assistance we receive, and pray that God may continue to bless the work He has given the Presbyterian Church to do both at home and abroad.

Respectfully submitted,

LUKE STANDRET.

Institutional Work

SCOTT INSTITUTE REPORT 1938-1939

The Annual Report of our work in the Scott Institute is more to us than a mere summing-up of the year's work, interesting as that in itself may be, for it represents an epic of evangelistic and social welfare work the volume of which can be matched by few Church institutions in Canada.

Later on, I hope to give you the almost staggering and unbelievable figures of the work done by a staff of only two paid workers, and an office lady supported only by our relief fund.

This report, though, is more than a mere tabulating of figures. It is for us a time of stock-taking of our work. We review the work of the year; we consider our triumphs and failures, our encouragements and discouragements, and the work not only done, but the many things that we have perforce left undone. And I am sorry to report that this year, more than any other in the history of our Mission, I have worried and prayed so much for the work that we have left undone. The opportunities have been so many, the pressure of work so forceful, and the multitudes knocking at our doors so many, that we have been completely overwhelmed, and were it not for the Grace of God, we would have been crushed or broken down beneath the heavy load of responsi-

bilities and work. The Lord has revealed to us such unprecedentedly vast fields ripe unto harvest that we must admit our feebleness; and in our particular field the labourers are so few, only two of us paid workers, that we are continually praying to the Lord of the harvest to send to us more labourers.

In order to thoroughly grasp the present condition of missionary work among the Jews, the following must be taken into consideration. Great changes have taken place in our work among the Jewish people. Only a few years ago, we laboured under the following conditions:

First, few doors were open to us. The Jewish Missionary worker was looked upon with suspicion, and in many cases, even with animosity. The Jews looked upon the missionary as an intruder, or at least as an unwelcome visitor. The doors of the Jewish community were closed to us. The work had to be confined to the poor who needed our help. We, therefore, established a clinic and medical dispensary, sewing classes and teaching of English, in order to attract the stranger and the needy. Work among the 'teen age and young people was practically impossible. Children would come to Sunday School until they were twelve, and after that, they were lost to us. The better class or the well-to-do Jew was practically untouched with the Gospel. The Mission had a staff of at least 8 paid workers: our annual budget amounted to about $15,000.

The situation has now changed. Your missionaries among the Jews are no more considered intruders, but friends and counsellors. The doors are not shut to us, but wide open, so wide open, and the calls for visiting and invitations to homes so many that it is impossible for only two workers to do all the visiting necessary. We should have two workers who would do nothing else but visit Jewish homes. No longer do we need a medical clinic to attract the poor,—the poor come to us in such numbers that we cannot look after them, and we often refer them to other organizations.

Distributing tracts,—we no longer see any Jew tearing Christian literature into shreds, and we no longer force literature on them. Only recently sixteen Jewish young men and young women during one of their services all made requests for New Testaments, and each received a copy of the Word of God, after they had faithfully promised to read and study it. They are no longer afraid to take a Bible home. I remember when I first brought home a New Testament, I kept it under my pillow by night, in case someone would search my pocket while I was asleep. I carried it in my pocket during the day; and alas and alack, if someday the New Testament was left lying under the pillow, and some member of the family found it there.

Today our young people take the New Testaments home. They show them to the other members of the family, and are not afraid to be in possession of, and to read, the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

No longer do we need a sewing class,—no longer do we need to present the poor with a yard of flannelette, in order to preach the Gospel to the Jewish women. Today, they come on Wednesday afternoons for nothing else but to study together the Word of God and to sing praises to the Lamb who was slain for our sins.

And now I am going to say something which I really hesitated putting down on paper, in case it might be construed as self-praise or even conceit. Nevertheless, it is true. And I want the constituency of the Presbyterian Church in Canada to know that no other Mission to the Jews has spread the Gospel as far and as wide among the Jewish people as your missionaries. Our preaching is not only heard by the poor, but by the wealthy as well. More Jews have heard the Gospel of Jesus, the unsearchable riches of God, from my lips than from any other Jewish missionary, in Canada anyhow.

The Jewish people in this Province of Ontario know that we are their friend; they know that we have a passionate desire for their salvation; and on more than one occasion have they heard me in hundreds making the appeal "Brethren, my heart's desire and prayer to God for Israel is, that they might be saved."

In spite of this unprecedented increase of opportunities to preach and to work among the Jewish people, our budget instead of $15,000 is only $4,000, and instead

of eight paid workers, there are only two paid workers, and one, Miss C. McArthur, who has been doing such faithful work among the Jewish women, has been forced on account of failing health to take a period of leave of absence. Her entire programme among the women and children has been taken over by Mrs. Zeidman, whom the doctor also warned to cut down, rather than take on more work.

The work in every department of our Mission has been progressing. The Sunday School children have shown a remarkable desire and aptitude to study the Bible and memorize Scripture. Our Sunday School lessons are specially prepared for every Sabbath day by Mrs. Zeidman. This we were obliged to do; because it was not always that the International lesson was suitable for Jewish scholars. For instance: the International lesson takes it for granted that all children believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and goes on, in this premise, to teach the various lessons. In our Sunday School, it is our main problem to prove that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the living God. Having proven that, the rest is comparatively easy. Another example why we must prepare our own lessons is, for instance, the Golden Text. The "International" one Sunday gave the Golden Text, "The Gospel of Jesus Christ is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth," and stopped there. We felt that a most important part for Jewish students was omitted, namely, "The Gospel of Jesus Christ is the power of God unto salvation, to every one that believeth, to the Jew first and also to the Greek." You can now see that we are sometimes confronted with problems that the ordinary Sunday School never worries about.

Our Young People's Society is one of the greatest comforts, but also a source of worry. The worry is that so many young people come to us, and we should have a worker who could devote all his time to them. Mrs. Zeidman, in addition to all her duties, conducts a service every Monday, with an average attendance of 30 live wires, some of them a little too lively, young people, but nevertheless they all pay most reverent attention to the preaching and teaching of the Gospel. This is one of our most promising departments. In a week or two we expect to baptize the president of our Young People's Society who by the way has expressed the desire to consecrate his life to the preaching of the Gospel among his own people, the Jews. We ask special prayers for this young man that he may mightily be used to bring other Jewish young people to the feet of Christ.

The Junior Young People's Society which was an experiment last year and is composed of boys and girls from 14 to 18, is progressing very favourably and has increased from 6 last year to 16 this year.

All the other evangelistic and prayer meetings have been well attended by Jewish men and women and a marked interest in the Gospel has been noticed among the fathers and mothers.

There was a time when the Jewish holidays played havoc with our programme of work. There are so many Jewish feasts and fasts and at the approach of the festive seasons our meetings invariably were disrupted because they religiously observed and prepared for their feasts. Only about two weeks ago Sunday, the Feast of Purim fell on that day; as usual, in deference and in respect to the feelings of our Jewish people, I announced that there would be no meeting on that day. How pleasantly surprised was I when all my audience unanimously declared that they would not allow the Feast of Esther to interfere with the preaching of the Gospel. We had our meetings as usual, on that feast day and some were absent yet there was so large a number of Jewish people present that it encouraged us to believe that our preaching had not been in vain.

Our Summer Camp was the largest and most successful in our Fresh Air work. I have therefore prepared a specially printed report and I hope that all the members of this Board will read it. Here I merely wish to say that we accommodated over 200 mothers and children and for the first time in our history we actually had to refuse many because we could not look after them all.

Christmas is always our busiest season but never have I experienced such joy in the Lord as during the Christmas of 1938. It very effectually bears out my witness

of the remarkable progress of our work among the Jews in the city. Never before have I seen the Jewish people participating in the celebration of the birth of the Prince of Peace with such whole-hearted enthusiasm and a spirit of sincere admiration for the teachings of Him "of whom the prophets did write".

Never before have I seen Jewish people sing Christmas carols so lustily as they did this year in the Scott Institute which is the Presbyterian Mission to the Jews in Toronto.

At our own Sunday School Christmas party about 130 Jewish mothers and children with some fathers were present. All joined in chanting the Lord's prayer, and all participated in the singing of Christmas carols. The children recited, and presented a Christmas play which was listened to attentively and was enjoyed by all present, the parents taking particular delight in the performance of their children, and their ability to memorize the Christmas message.

It has been a joyous Christmas, because it has been proven to us. We have heard with our own ears and we have seen with our own eyes the results of our missionary labours in this city. These labours have not been in vain. We have broken down, to a great extent, the middle wall of partition between Jew and Gentile. We have made the Jewish people more receptive to the Gospel message, and they have shown a remarkable willingness to listen to the Gospel of Jesus Christ when properly presented.

We feel that the Scott Institute has made a distinct contribution to the life in the community. The Press as well as the City Council of the City of Toronto has recognized this service. Reports of our work appear regularly in the *Toronto Evening Telegram* which has been most faithful to us and given us every possible help. Write-ups and reports of our work have also appeared in the *Daily Star*, the *Globe and Mail*, the *Presbyterian Record*, the *Hamilton Spectator* and other periodicals. Contributions have come in from practically every public body and fraternal societies. Donations have come to us from United Churches, Churches of England, Baptist Churches, Unitarian Churches and even Synagogues, the Ladies' Orange Benevolent Societies, Ladies' Conservative Association, Protestant Women's Federation, Order of the Eastern Star, the Daughters of the Empire, Masonic Lodges, Oddfellows, the Granite Club, the Board of Trade of the City of Toronto, and many other clubs.

In addition to that, we have in the constituency of the Presbyterian Church in Canada a very large body of people who are continually upholding us before the Throne of Grace that we be given strength, vision, and aid to carry on the work that God has appointed us to do. It is through these prayers that we were able to help thousands of people. We served about 80,000 meals. We distributed 35,000 articles of clothing, furniture, 100 Christmas dinners to poor and destitute, and about 7,000 emergency orders of groceries to those who were at the point of starvation. Hundreds have listened to the preaching of the Gospel and of Jesus the Mighty to save.

Respectfully submitted,

M. ZEIDMAN.

TYNDALE HOUSE, 1938

EVANGELICAL SOCIAL SETTLEMENT OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA, MONTREAL

TWELFTH ANNUAL REPORT

The year 1938 closed at Tyndale House with the largest total membership and attendance on record. Yet, not in numbers nor in any survey of activities, can we give an adequate picture of the work of Tyndale House; for the chief service of this institution lies in the fact that it has become an integral part of the life of the individuals and families of which it is constituted.

Tyndale House is a name that stands for much in this district—much that would live long in the spirit of its members, even if the building itself were closed. Yet it is just this factor that makes the call for larger quarters more urgent. Today there exists

something that has grown out of the seed sown over a decade ago and that has continued to spread its branches in a growth so vital that it cannot now be easily checked. Each year finds more people seeking here a permanent place of worship. Long ago we had reached the limit of the small room in which we worship. The question confronting us is this: In what way are we going to meet—and cope with—this expansion?

There are to be considered, moreover, those social activities of the week which normally are a part of the life of the Church, and where much of real Christian fellowship and happiness is engendered. Of all the activities carried on through the week, there is not one for which there is adequate or suitable accommodation. This is the more deplorable in a district where homes are so small and overcrowded, and where wholesome places of community life are sadly lacking.

There is no complaint on the part of the people or workers who use this building, but there is a sincere desire that the members of our Church should know of the impediments that stand in the way of further successful progress. For it is to be remembered that Tyndale House is the foster child of the missionary spirit of the Church, not only because of all those who give so liberally in money, but also because of the many who give in voluntary service and in gifts in kind.

SUMMER CAMP

Happily, we may report "All's well" in connection with our summer camp. Here are spent some of the brightest and most fruitful months of the year. Here too the spirit of Tyndale House prevails. Suitable accommodation and the beauty of nature combine to make the summer season a time in which our campers "grow as a vine" into the happier and more abundant life.

The most attractive feature of our camp life is perhaps the elderly folks' party which gathers together at the end of the summer season. Old in years but young in spirit, these people thoroughly enjoy every minute of their time. They bring to the camp their cheerful gratitude, and during the winter months remain keen and loyal in a spirit of optimism and faith.

The work of Tyndale House begins with those who are young in years and ends with those whose race is well run. The great achievement of this institution lies in bringing all into closer relationship with the One Who leads the way to the happier and fuller life, and Whom to know is life eternal.

Respectfully submitted,

W. HAROLD BROWN.

DAVID SCOTT, M.A., B.D.,
Vice-Chairman.

GEORGE H. DONALD, D.D.,
Chairman.

THE PRESBYTERIAN HOME FOR GIRLS, TORONTO

We respectfully submit our report of the Presbyterian Home for the year 1938.

In the year just ended, although with our limited resources we have found it difficult at times to cope with the problems which continually confront us in our work, still, always when our need was most imperative, whether in the way of clothing for girls and babies, or in the replenishing of our pantry supplies, a way opened up through the generosity of those interested in the work, who saw our need and responded. It has been a year rich in blessing, and, above it all, the guiding Hand of a Loving Heavenly Father.

We are thankful to report the completion of some much needed repairs, chief among these being the painting of the Home, and the addition of a new fence. We are very happy to begin the New Year with our Home in good condition, inside and out.

During the past year, the Home has opened its doors to 31 girls, and 28 babies

The girls lead a very normal life doing the tasks of each day in an orderly routine and also enjoying the necessary recreation. Our institution has been surprisingly free of illness among the girls and children, and it is worthy of note that in the history of the Home, there has never been a death among the girls. In respect to the health of our family, we wish to pay tribute to the service rendered by our physician, Dr. McIntyre, who has given unstintingly of her time and labour in the care of the mothers and babies. She has been of invaluable assistance to the work from year to year, and to this kind friend we owe a deep debt of gratitude.

Sometimes in our striving to make the Saviour a reality in the lives of those under our care, we have met with seeming indifference on the part of some of the girls, but it has been our happy experience to learn that the seed which we thought fell on barren soil, took root in a firm endeavour to follow in His Footsteps. For instance, may we quote a paragraph from a letter received recently: "It is nearly two years since I left the Home, and it has taken me practically all this time to realize what the Home has done for me. I have come to realize my need of spiritual guidance, and I now know that 'God is my refuge and strength'." Thus, encouraged by such tangible evidence of a life re-adjusted, it is with increased faith we look to the future, knowing that no word earnestly spoken, or work truly done for the Master, was ever in vain.

MYRTLE MCKINNON,
Superintendent.

NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE, HAMILTON

The work at this centre of Christian Social Activity continues to be carried on very efficiently by the two full-time deaconesses—Miss Sloan and Miss Smith, whose salaries are paid by the Home Mission Board. There is also one part-time boys' worker, and one assistant for play-school, both being paid by the Ladies' Board. In addition there are some volunteer helpers.

The Presbytery of Hamilton has asked the Minister and Session of New Westminster Church, Hamilton, to arrange for the carrying on of an evening service.

The regular weekly activities consist of 2 Mothers' Clubs, one composed almost entirely of non-Anglo-Saxons; 3 clubs for boys; 5 clubs for girls; Saturday morning playtime for children of any age; Sabbath School; play-school for pre-school-age children on 5 mornings per week; an English class for adults, meeting twice a week. In addition, a Daily Vocation Bible School 5 mornings a week during the month of July, and there are concerts, picnics, and hikes arranged from time to time.

The total membership during the year was 380, number at end of last year 250. Visits paid in district 326.

Nationality Percentage of Membership.—Hungarian, 21.8; Canadian (mostly of foreign extraction), 14.4; Ukrainian, 11.9; Polish, 10.5; Serbian, 7.75; Croatian, 6.6; English, 6; Italian, 5.5; Scotch, 3.6; Jugo-Slavian, 3; German, 3; Czechoslovakian, 1.4; Roumanian, 1.4; Swedish, 1; Spanish, 2 members; Irish, 2 members; Bulgarian, 2 members.

Denominational Affiliation Percentage.—Roman Catholic, 31.3; Protestant, 16.6; Neighbourhood House Sabbath School (No other Church connection) 12; Presbyterian, 11; Gospel Tabernacles, 8; Greek Orthodox, 5.8; United Church, 5; Anglican, 3.6; No Church, 2; Greek Catholic, 3 members; Salvation Army, 3 members; Lutheran, 1 member; Baptist, 1 member.

ATTENDANCE

Total for Year of eleven months	21,212
Average monthly	1,928
Largest Monthly Attendance	2,624
Average Attendance at Sabbath School	53

MONEY CONTRIBUTED

Club Dues During Year	$36.05
Sabbath School Offerings	14.45
Gift from Mothers' Club to Ladies' Board	10.00

W. A. JASON GRAHAM,
Home Mission Convener.

ASSEMBLY'S LANTERN SLIDE COMMITTEE REPORT 1938

The Committee on Lantern Slides is glad to report an increasing demand for these sets on the missionary work of our Church during the past year. There were 329 showings of the various sets, against 318 for the previous year.

During the year there were no new sets issued but the set known as "Pioneer Work in the New North" was revised and thirty new slides added; and the set on India, "Land of Light and Shadow", was also revised. For 1939 the Committee plans to revise the other two sets on India, "Across India and the Gwalior Mission" and "Thirty Years in the Bhil Land", and to bring out six small sets for use in Sabbath Schools. The thanks of the Committee are due to the Provincial Secretaries of the Women's Missionary Society for sending out the sets of slides as they are required, and to the W.M.S. for use of office space for storing of slides, etc., and for stenographic work.

The following extracts from Provincial Secretaries will give some idea of the appreciation expressed for this service: "Slides have been in great demand during the year. The outlying missions have been using them every two weeks. They report that there is much more interest in their meetings when slides are used." (B. C.)—"There has been an increase in the number of sets used during the year." (Alberta)—"Slides are appreciated very much. They would be used much more if a lantern were available". (Manitoba and Saskatchewan)—"The greatest demand has been for the set 'Land of Light and Shadow' by the young people." (Ontario)—"The encouraging feature is that our Young People's Societies have been most active in using them." (Quebec)—"The number of showings has increased, but for want of a lantern many churches are not able to use them." (Maritimes).

The amount expended during the year was $175.54, which was equally divided among the three Boards, the Board of Missions, the Board of Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies, and the Women's Missionary Society, W. D.

The showings in the various Provinces were as follows: Maritimes 21; Quebec 41; Ontario 175; Manitoba and Saskatchewan 24; Alberta 23; British Columbia 45; total 329.

(MRS. D. T. L.) MARY C. MCKERROLL,
Secretary.

W. M. KANNAWIN,
Chairman.

FOREIGN MISSION REPORTS

Canadian Presbyterian Mission in Manchuria

KEY NOTE FOR 1938—TEACHING EVANGELISM

During the summer we were able to get a Bible Correspondence School started with an initial enrolment of around 300. Though some have dropped by the wayside, others have taken their places and the course is proceeding satisfactorily. When examining candidates for baptism in Fan Chia T'un recently, the one who took the best examination was studying the Bible through this Bible Correspondence School course.

Many of our churches held daily vacation Bible schools during July. The largest group was at Maolin where over 70 children received special instruction for two weeks in Bible stories, Scripture memory work, Gospel hymns, and object lessons.

Definite progress has been made along the line of Sunday School work in many churches. The Taonan Sunday School has been and continues to be an inspiring example. The children's section is under the able leadership of one of the deacons and has an enrolment of over 100. Besides the junior school, there are several adult Bible classes. We feel that too great emphasis cannot be placed on this aspect of the work.

Special Women's short term Bible classes have been carried on in all the larger centres. Well trained Bible women have been touring the whole field continuously, teaching the women and preaching to them in their homes.

Training Class for Evangelists

Six weeks in September and October were largely taken up with our annual Men's Short Term Bible Class. There was an attendance of over 40. After the 7 a.m. prayer meeting, breakfast was served. Lectures began at nine with Pastor Chiang teaching the Book of Jeremiah. Mr. Johnson then conducted a 15 minute period of physical training and in this way sickness was kept down to a minimum. The importance of this will be realized when one takes into consideration the fact that many are past school age and that the course, though for only a short period, is very strenuous. Lectures by Pastor Yung on Galatians and Ephesians and on I. Timothy by Pastor Ho followed. The last 20 minutes before noon were taken up with a singing class. The first period in the afternoon was a study of the Japanese language. I had the hour following and took up, "Why I Believe the Bible is the Word of God," and the section on "What the Bible Teaches about Christ" from Torrey's book on "What the Bible Teaches." During the last three weeks after Pastor Chiang returned to Taonan, Mr. Johnson gave some lectures on the Psalms and Pastor Wang gave some addresses. Two of the students preached in the evenings, the half hour preceding being given over to a criticism of the addresses delivered the previous night. There was a fine spirit throughout and a uniformly high standard of work. Besides the heavy class schedule, the men took turns helping in both the east and west chapels. Graduation exercises were held on the last day. Eight men who had completed the four year course were given diplomas. They all passed with high honours and were given leather covered New Testaments and Hymn Books as a parting gift.

Bible Colporteurs

Two Bible Colporteurs in the Szepingkai and T'ungliao districts sold 21,300 scripture portions during the year and in addition 112 Bibles. A third man was selling scripture portions in the north of the field and also giving considerable time to interesting others in giving voluntarily of their time to this important branch of the work. We are confident that in this scattering of the Gospel seed will be fulfilled the promise "So shall my word be that goeth forth out of my mouth; it shall not return unto me void, but it shall accomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper in the thing whereto I sent it."

Progress

New churches were built at Ta Lin, Chan Yu, Solun, Pao Men and Pai Ch'eng Tze, while plans to secure property were underway in Chang Ling, Fan Chia T'un, Wu T'ai Tze, and Pien Chao.

While we have been pressing for self-support for years, it has only been possible this year to perfect a plan, the operation of which will begin in 1939 and whereby under normal conditions the majority of our present churches should reach full self-support in 10 or 12 years, many of them sooner than that. This will enable us to advance into unoccupied districts.

Evangelistic

Our work is all evangelistic. The general method is to begin the day with a morning prayer meeting. During the day preaching is carried on in the chapels or, where that is not feasible, the evangelists and Bible women preach to the people in their homes. Every evening there is a Bible class and prayer meeting.

Elder Ching of Mukden, a man of prayer, held revival meetings in several of our churches throughout the year.

Many of our Evangelists tour the country villages once a month and have a fixed circuit. Chiang Ch'iao for example is reckoned in the statistics as one church but there are 4 groups at widely separated points in connection with the central group. The evangelist Mr. Tu visits them once a month. They form the nucleus of future congregations.

I was greatly impressed with the Taonan Sunday School. The children are well-taught and nicely disciplined. On Saturdays the Superintendent holds a class for the teachers and they prepare together the lesson for the next day. We are also very proud of our Szepingkai Sunday School. Part of the time is spent in learning hymns and the children enjoy the singing hour.

All our Churches have a meeting especially for the women, every Wednesday morning from ten to twelve. The Bible women and I take turns leading the meeting and giving the address. On Saturday mornings the women hold an hour's prayer meeting, praying for the Church, themselves, new converts, and friends whom they wish to lead to Christ.

Advance in Self-support

The most important work of the Council was the plan for advance in self-support and the decision to put it into effect. Up to the present only the Szepingkai and Taonan churches have completely supported their pastors and they have had some foreign help in the weekly offerings of the missionaries. But for 1939 all but a very few of the churches, these newly established or in extremely poor districts, will take a half-month or more of their worker's salary. The Council defined several classes of self-support, placed each church in its proper class depending on its age and economic and spiritual strength, and required that it rally that much support in 1939.

A self-support programme is good from the point of view of strengthening an independent spirit in local churches. More than that, it is absolutely necessary if we are to carry on and extend the work of propagating the Gospel. Higher costs of living and higher standards for workers have involved small salary increases. No increase in funds from home comes to meet this increase in expenditure. Money for the salaries for many workers comes from the Goforth Evangelistic Fund.

Improvement of Local Church Properties

The policy of our field is that all buildings are put up and maintained by the local churches. This year again there are many improvements in buildings.

Ta Lin Chan completed an adequate and well-furnished building in the spring, a real accomplishment for a very newly formed group.

Sze Hao renovated their mud building making it bright and inviting in a district of dull and dirty dwellings, and later they put a mud wall around the yard so that the neighbours' pigs and poultry could be kept at a proper distance.

Kailu used a couple of rooms they had rented out as a store, and made them over as a meeting place for their newly organized children's Sunday School.

Szepingkai finished paying off its building deficit, and has a clear title to the property worth about $2,000, Canadian money. More than this it put aside $75 towards a building fund for a proper church building, that it hopes will some day replace the present church hall which is just a large room in the second storey of a street-side building.

THE KINDERGARTEN

Mrs. Johnson writing with respect to the kindergarten says:—"I think sometimes one is just a bit dubious as to the actual Christian good that is accomplished through a kindergarten. Certainly almost everything depends upon the teacher in charge.

Fortunately our Church kindergarten has a young lady who not only can manage a far too large group of children in a far too small room with skill, but one who spends time on Christian teaching.

Every day the children have religious exercises and are told a Bible story. Each week the children learn about five golden texts. On Saturdays, as a special treat, they are given an orange or small biscuit for which they all return thanks. Miss Chang tells them about the One who provides food for them.

The children now, in their homes, insist upon saying grace before eating, even in strong Buddhist homes.

STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR 1938

Baptized since the beginning of the work	5,566
Number of baptisms during the year	464
Church membership at the end of the year	3,115
Earnest enquirers not yet baptized	691
Christian constituency at the end of 1938	3,806
Sunday School scholars	1,660
Total offerings for the year	$12,411.67
New places opened during the year	1
Centres of work now open in all	52
Men workers	60
Women workers	21
Full time volunteer workers	5
Total number of workers	86

NOTE.—The "total offerings" is incomplete as one of the larger churches has not yet reported.

Owing to the fact that during November and December some of our Pastors were so busily engaged in complying with the law requiring the registration of all churches, it was not possible to reach all out-stations for Baptism service. Thus the returns from a large number of the churches are incomplete.

A RÉSUMÉ

Mrs. Reoch in writing of her work since coming back from furlough says:—"We returned to Szepingkai early in May. It seemed good to be back especially as we had our new home and garden to come to. In a few days Mr. and Mrs. Davis came to spend the last few days before going on furlough. Our three missionary families had a very happy time together.

It was a real pleasure meeting again old and new Chinese friends. The Christian women were attending a two weeks' Bible Class, conducted by Mrs. Wu, our Bible woman, and it was a splendid opportunity of seeing them all together and a joy to find new Christians amongst them. They were given certificates for their work during these two weeks and were pleased and proud of them.

In September we welcomed our new W.M.S. missionaries, Mrs. Gehman and Miss Gibbs, to the field. We were so happy to have them with us at last and anticipate even more next September when they will be here to stay and take part in the work. While

they were here we planned a tea-party for our women so they too might have the opportunity of meeting the new missionaries.

Mrs. Davis left such a nice outline of work for the women throughout the field. She prepared little books, one for each month, and certificates to be given them. At the end of each month each woman who had read that month's little book had a seal stamped on her certificate. For the last seven months, since we could not get the books planned for, the Gospel of Mark is to be substituted, two chapters to be read each month. We have this reading class together every Wednesday and Saturday, before the Women's meeting on Wednesdays and before the prayer meeting on Saturdays.

Mr. Reoch and I went to Taonan for two weeks in December. I had not been there for such a long time and I loved meeting again the very earliest Chinese friends I had ever known. For a number of evenings Mr. Reoch showed slides in the Church on Palestine and the Life of Christ. Slides of Dr. and Mrs. Goforth and Mr. and Mrs. Davis were also shown."

Respectfully submitted,

E. H. JOHNSON.

The North Formosa Mission Field

1938

We present another year in the History of the North Formosa Mission, with its duties and privileges, its successes and its failures; and to our Heavenly Father, Who has gone before and led us step by step, we give thanks and praise for what has been attained.

Early in the year, Dr. Stevens returned from furlough and proceeded immediately to Tokyo for language study. He will return early in the new year to take over the Superintendency of the Mackay Memorial Hospital. Miss Douglas returned from Tokyo in April after an absence of nearly four years, and since then has been preparing and introducing, in several places, a systematic course of Bible study similar to that used in the Korean Church. In May Mr. and Mrs. Mackay left for furlough, and in September, Miss Taylor returned from Canada and took up the task of training several of the church choirs in Taihoku, in addition to private music pupils. Miss Heighton, having experienced a delay in her plans, due to an operation while in Tokyo, returned to the Field in November, and since then has been preparing and seeking for opportunities to work among young girls. In November, also, Dr. and Mrs. Gushue-Taylor returned from furlough and from a stay in Japan spent at language study. They are now in charge of and giving full time supervision to the work at the Happy Mount Leprosy Colony.

When it became known that Dr. and Mrs. Little were expected to leave early in the new year, the news of the prompt and timely appointment of Dr. and Mrs. Donald Bews, of Kingston, Ontario, was received by the Council with great gratitude.

Dr. and Mrs. Little have given invaluable assistance to the Missionary staff as a whole, during the past two and a half years, in every phase of the work. Dr. Little has accomplished a herculean task in carrying on and directing the hospital work single-handed. During this time he made many improvements on the hospital plant, greatly enlarging the scope of its work. Their departure is deeply regretted by all their associates in Formosa.

THE NATIVE CHURCH

The Native Church has been faced with unusual problems and difficulties during the past year. The usual methods of evangelism have been somewhat restricted due to the present national situation, and cottage prayer meetings and personal work have become the main medium for evangelistic work. Economically, the preachers have, in many cases, faced real hardship due to the steep rise in the price of all articles of food and clothing with only their meagre salaries to meet expenses.

In spite of the unusual times, however, definite progress has been made, and there are many reasons for encouragement. Three more churches became self-supporting and one other church which did not have a pastor called a young man, which made a total of four young men who were ordained and inducted during the year. This brings the total number of self-supporting churches up to twenty-three.

The event of greatest significance for the church during the year, was the division of the field into three Presbyteries. This marks a new period in the life of the church and is outstanding in its history. The immediate benefit to the church will be a greater efficiency in administration and a considerable saving in the general expense. The following statistics may be of interest in showing the present state of the three Presbyteries:—

	Taihoku Presbytery	Shinchiku Presbytery	East Coast Presbytery	Total
Number of Churches	31	25	22	78
Self-supporting Churches	11	6	6	23
Aid-receiving Churches	20	19	16	55
Ordained Pastors	10	5	5	20
Unordained Preachers	16	11	10	37
Elders	57	43	45	145
Deacons	54	39	48	141
Baptized Adults	7,567	959	1,006	9,432
Baptized Children	1,295	704	818	2,817
Money in Yen raised by Church	18,912.25	6,436.17	8,869.25	34,218.27
Aid from Mission for Preachers' salaries	4,678.80	3,885.60	5,108.00	13,672.40

Evangelism

This phase of the work, which is an important part of all the activities of the Mission, is carried on in various ways and by various people.

Groups, meeting for the purpose of Bible study and discussion, are becoming more and more popular, although there are restrictions which prevent carrying this work as far as the desire would take it. However, several Bible study classes have been held for a week or month's duration, to which people from places outside of the main centres have come, and it is hoped that this type of class work will become an important factor in teaching the Bible to the ordinary rank and file of the Formosan Church, to say nothing of introducing it to non-believers.

Girls' groups have been organized in several centres, but here, the lack of leaders seems to retard the work somewhat. However, as this is quite a new endeavour, there are hopes for developing it to a more perfect working order.

Keeping up the interest for more Bible study among the organized women's meetings in various churches, has been attempted by several members of the Mission. Visiting, holding Communion and Baptismal services, election and ordination of elders and deacons, were only a few of the calls made upon the ordained men of Council. English Bible study groups were also conducted, some as personal projects, others in the name of the Taihoku Y.M.C.A.

Mrs. Koa, by the kind permission of the Director of the Government Leprosy Colony, this year was able to meet with the women patients of the Colony every Wednesday afternoon. Of the 600 patients, 70 are Christian, and from thirty to forty attended the weekly meetings for Bible study and prayer. Mrs. Koa also made weekly visits to several nearby towns for women's meetings and occasional visits to Buddhist Vegetarian retreats where she had personal talks with the women.

The Three Year Movement

The Three Year Movement finished its third and last year December 31st. In the seven districts into which the field was divided, organization was set up at the beginning of the first year. By this, the third and last year, local districts organized their work

with interest, understanding, and a sense of responsibility markedly in advance of the first and second years. All this will give local leaders experience which they can use in the three newly organized Presbyteries.

During the duration of this Movement, numerous booklets and pamphlets were printed and sold, besides several posters depicting the importance of Bible study, Prayer and Evangelism. A Correspondence Bible Study Course, as well as a Laymen's Theological Course Booklet, were also prepared and used widely throughout the Church.

The All-Formosa Youth Conference

The Fifth Conference of the All-Formosa Christian Youth Movement, was held in Tansui, the latter part of July. In spite of the difficulties of the times through which we are passing, the attendance was down only about twenty-five per cent, though the attendance of women was not less. The loss in numbers seemed to be more than made up in quality. Difficulties brought out not only better people, but the best in people.

Plans were made last year for extending the Movement by employing secretaries; by beginning work in agricultural village evangelism, and in developing Young People's work in new centres, but these plans have had to be held in abeyance for the present.

The North Formosa Ministers' Conference

The North Formosa Ministers' Annual Conference was held as usual in Tansui. Unlike the Church in Canada where it is the custom to grant ministers a vacation, the Formosan churches do not give consideration to this problem so generally. Feeling the need of time to rest, deepen the Spirit, and renew consecration, as well as study in conference, there was a general desire to extend this 1938 Conference to ten days, from July 12th to the 22nd.

The central theme of the Conference was "Jesus as a Minister". In response to a request each morning special lectures were given in a study of Calvin, on various aspects of his life and work. An hour a day was also given to exegetical studies in Romans, in which ministers themselves led, and for which they had made preparation weeks in advance.

The Ministers' Wives' Conference

The third Conference of the Ministers' Wives was held this year in Tansui in the Autumn. Gratitude was expressed when the Government Officials gave consent, though reluctantly on account of the critical times, to open the Conference, for it was felt that the ministers' wives needed more than ever this time of inspiration and quiet. Twenty-seven wives assembled for four days of prayer, inspirational talks and discussion. Tentative plans were made to hold the Conference again next year, if at all possible.

The Formosan Women's Missionary Society

The Formosan Women's Missionary Society at their annual meeting held November 29th, reported an attendance of nearly 200 women. The yearly offering was somewhat less than usual, due no doubt to the extra burden of taxes on the people. Reports from the three Bible women, verbally and written, told of less opportunities for classes, but more for personal evangelism.

Bible Women

In reporting on the work of the Bible women, there are two very encouraging facts. The first is, that there has been a great increase in the number of places asking for Bible women, and the second is, a greater feeling of responsibility on the part of the churches to help with the Bible woman's salary. During the year three places paid the entire salary over a period of from three to eleven months and there are two more ready to do the same as soon as workers are available.

Owing to the scarcity of Bible women and the great demand for them, the time spent in one place has been reduced to three months, unless where the church has been willing to pay the whole salary. Under these conditions, the six Bible women worked in nine churches and in the hospital during the year, teaching the women and visiting in the homes. The hospital offers unequalled opportunity for presenting the Gospel

to unbelievers and two women could profitably be employed there. Unfortunately, the Bible woman who was there became ill in September and has not yet begun to work again, so her place has had to be taken by one of the itinerating Bible women.

One very good worker was married at the end of the year, but as her husband is a minister, her work is not entirely lost to the church. Another worker had a roving commission under the supervision of Mrs. Dickson, and has done and is doing very effective work encouraging Sunday Schools and Women's meetings in the smaller places. A former Girls' School graduate was taken on in September as Miss Douglas' helper.

At the present time, the most urgent need is more and better trained Bible women, so to that end efforts are being concentrated through the Women's School.

Daily Vacation Bible Schools

Daily Vacation Bible Schools were held in twenty-eight churches this year, during the summer months. For several years, the programme for these schools, as well as the material which was provided for the different grades, has been prepared by Mrs. Mackay. Full instructions for the use of the programme and materials were given to the teachers at a preparatory Conference held in May.

The plan of studying the Bible, taking one book a year has been used for some time, so this year the lessons were taken from First Samuel, and very interesting material was prepared on the Tabernacle and, among other things, the geography of Palestine.

EDUCATIONAL

The Theological College

Gratitude is felt because the work of the College has continued uninterruptedly and without undue difficulty during the year.

In April, at the end of the school year, one student graduated and five new students entered the first year, making a total student body of twelve.

The Board of Managers of the College consists of a Japanese University professor, a Japanese pastor, four Formosan pastors and three missionaries. This body has charge of the management of the Institution and is responsible to Presbytery. Previously, the budget for the operation of the College came entirely from the Mission. This year, the Native Church has, for the first time, contributed towards the budget of the College.

The College building, in Taihoku, to which the College moved a year ago, is utilized to the full as a Christian centre. It makes an ideal place for all kinds of church activities, such as committee meetings of the Native Church, conferences, Presbytery and other special meetings. The Christian Book-room of the Native Church occupies one room, and the Church Office another. At present the Soren congregation is using the College Chapel for their services and the class rooms for their Sunday School, while plans are being carried forward for the erection of their new Church. A Japanese pastor has a room in the dormitory with the students, and the guest room, which is always ready for Christian workers, is seldom without occupants.

The Women's School

In looking back over the year, it is realized more than ever that it has been a happy and successful one.

The student group has been a particularly delightful one and especially so when one considers the type of girl or woman who comes. Most of the students are public school graduates, though a few have never been to school before, and one is a high school graduate who is taking the course in Kindergarten training. They range in age from fifteen to fifty, but the average is about twenty-five.

Miss Burdick left to go to Japan early in January, and Miss Taylor was welcomed to the teaching staff in the Fall. One of the Japanese teachers left several months ago, but it is hoped soon to engage another one.

The enthusiasm of the pupils for visiting and teaching in the homes, suggests that more of this type of practical work be included in the course of study, which continued

about the same as usual. During the summer, seven of the thirty students enrolled in the school during the year, worked in various churches throughout the field.

The Christmas Worship service which was planned by the students and Miss Taylor, was one of the loveliest possible and brought to a very fine close a year that was full of wonderful experiences.

Kindergartens

The oldest Kindergarten, in Daitotei, is still crowded with children, but the Soren Kindergarten has had to close temporarily, for, in the interests of road-widening, it was necessary to take down the church building. The Matsuyama Kindergarten was fortunate this year in securing a teacher who has had one year of Kindergarten training in Japan, and all reports from this place have been most interesting. It was a great disappointment when the Kindergarten on the East Coast, which was started just a year ago, had to close in the Spring, due to a misunderstanding with the "city fathers". However, the minister, who was moved to another town during the year, seems to be anything but daunted, for just recently a request has come for someone who could go and help with a group of thirty children. This time they are not attempting a full fledged Kindergarten, but are working through story-telling and games.

A Kindergarten, which has been looked forward to for many years, was opened this Fall, due greatly to the help and advice of a Japanese friend, Mr. Kimura, who also consented to being principal and who was able to secure the permit from the Government. This demonstration Kindergarten will help answer the many questions regarding children's work that are always rising in the minds of the ministers and church members. It is located in two remodeled rooms of Oxford College, where there is a wonderful playground adjoining, and in every way is as ideal as it is possible to make it. The teacher is highly qualified and the number of children is limited to thirty, to make for quality rather than quantity of success.

MEDICAL

The Mackay Memorial Hospital

It is with a deep sense of gratitude to God that the hospital staff are able to report an extension of its ministry of healing to an ever greater number of sufferers throughout the past year. It has been a joy to have had a share in such a many-sided programme of reconstruction and service. The municipal road-widening scheme necessitated demolition and rejuvenation of the entrance to the hospital, with a result which drew favourable comment from no less a personage than the Governor of the Province himself. Buildings have been overhauled, redecorated and put in repair; the plumbing, heating unit, the kitchens and the electric systems changed over to more modern equipment. Specialist departments were added to the hospital organization and the finances were not impaired by these extensive changes. More important, however, than any of the afore-mentioned physical changes, has been the crowded out-patient rooms and the numbers of sick folk who have taken advantage of the in-patient services. The four evangelistic workers made good use of these increased numbers and the resulting reports received from the churches in the field, have been so encouraging, that we are hoping for an even greater blessing on the hospital's ministry next year.

There have been five native physicians on the staff this past year. The arrival of Doctor Stevens in the new year will make a reduction of staff possible and will at the same time extend and improve the services to the patients. Miss Chisholm has carried the full weight of the supervision of the nursing services single-handed, as well as personally caring for numerous foreign cases which have been admitted during the year. Miss Weir volunteered to return from Japan to relieve Miss Chisholm for the summer vacation, and her return was greatly appreciated by all. Dr. Donald Bews of Kingston, Ontario, who for the past two years has been engaged as Medical Director of the Karuizawa Sanatorium in Japan, relieved Dr. Little for ten days' vacation during the summer, and as mentioned above, Dr. Bews was appointed and has already entered into the work as from December first.

In January of this year, Dr. and Mrs. Little and their four children left us to go

to Hong Kong. There, Dr. Little will become Superintendent of the Matilda Hospital. Their departure was more deeply regretted than words can express. They had been with us through two dark years of crisis and uncertainty, and had proven a tower of strength to their colleagues.

Dr. Little, unsparing of his physical strength and with keen business insight, accomplished the herculean task of managing the Mackay Memorial Hospital alone, and he also improved it in every department. Operations soared to over three times their former number,—sometimes Dr. Little himself did as many as eleven operations a day.

The whole hospital was thoroughly renovated and beautified. Four evangelistic workers had to assist in the work of teaching spiritual truths to the ever-increasing number of patients. The morale of our whole church in the North, which had suffered when the Mission schools left our hands, was happily heightened by the hospital's great improvement, and everybody spoke with pride of the reputation for efficiency, thoroughness, and kindness that the hospital had gained.

Mrs. Little, who is also a medical doctor, was ever unselfishly ready to help in the hospital or with outside patients, and she was in great demand as a lecturer at Conferences. She also prepared for distribution diets for babies, instructions of how to care for children, and taught simple methods of insuring hygiene in the home.

Someone has said, "When we go away, we die a little",—I would paraphrase that and say, "When they (our friends) go away, we die a little." We dared not dim the brightness of their plans for the future with too many regrets on our part, and we have had to watch them go, with reluctant hearts, while bidding them "Godspeed!"

The Statistics for the year are as follows: —

Number of In-patients	1,506
Number of Out-patients	21,272
Number of Operations	1,187
Major	592
Minor	595
Maternity cases	70

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Balance from 1937	Yen	13,921.40
Receipts from all sources (excluding 1937 bal.)		117,042.89
Total		130,964.29
Total Expenditures		112,332.17
Balance	Yen	18,632.12

MARGARET M. RAMSAY.

Happy Mount Leprosy Colony—Formosa

1937-1938

LIVING WITH LEPERS AT RAKUSANEN

"Rakusanen". The word sounds like a patent medicine but it means Happy Mount Estate, the 'san' in the middle meaning mountain and 'Rakuen' denoting paradise. It is the name of the Happy Mount Leprosy Colony in North Formosa, founded by Dr. G. Gushue-Taylor. Certainly it is a lovely spot but it was not the beautiful scenery that induced me to spend over nineteen months there. Dr. and Mrs. Gushue-Taylor were sorely in need of their furlough which they could not take unless someone could be found to superintend the Colony in their absence. Work among lepers can hardly be called congenial and it was only from a sense of duty and friendship towards Dr. and Mrs. Gushue-Taylor that I accepted the post, with the approval of the W.M.A., and went there with my mother in April, 1937. As time went on, however, and we became acquainted with the patients and the staff, trying to meet their individual and collective needs,

life became not only surprisingly busy but full of interest and enjoyment. The disease itself is terrible enough but these patients have to face the additional hardship of being segregated from the community, cut off entirely from friends and family. What could one do but show forth pity in every practical way possible to comfort these poor afflicted people who have lost their freedom because they have contracted a very repulsive disease.

A PATIENT'S PARADISE

The Colony estate is situated on the side of a well-wooded hill and a river runs through the valley below, threading its way through lovely green rice-fields towards the sea about two miles away. Visitors to the Colony frequently remark on the beauty of the surroundings "How fortunate the folk who can live here!" "Yes", reply the patients, "we are fortunate and thankful too; but we cannot forget our families. Our wives and children are not so fortunate." Many of them are suffering because the wage-earner, being segregated here, is bereft of his freedom and deprived of the right to earn.

There are at present 64 patients in the Colony, 50 men and 14 women, all suffering from leprosy but each at a different stage of the disease. Some with "nerve leprosy" are hardly noticeable, but others are badly disfigured and so crippled that they cannot attend to their own needs. Some can still do a good day's work in the field; while others are confined to their beds. There is a large Government Leprosy Hospital some miles away in which the patients are herded together in barracks, but Dr. Gushue-Taylor wisely planned this Colony so that the patients might enjoy a certain amount of independence and privacy. They live in small cottages which were built to hold four occupants. Here they live apart, cooking their own meals, but assemble at certain hours of the day for various meetings in the chapel or central hall, and also unite in different kinds of manual labour for the welfare of their small community. In addition to this public work which the able-bodied are called on to render for 2½ hours each morning, they are encouraged to take up some occupation or hobby, vegetable growing, chicken farming, basket making, etc., which will fill their lives with interest and if necessary afford them an opportunity of earning some money. By all means, they must be saved from brooding over their miseries. Coming from different classes of society with different temperaments and different personal problems to solve, united only by a common affliction, they need all the sympathy and guidance that a director can impart to enable them to live harmoniously. This, to my mind would have been impossible without the love of God and the example of Christ to help us. I was constantly being brought to realize my own inadequacy when called upon almost daily to cope with strange, but, to them, very real problems. The chapel services have brought great comfort to many. All but ten of them have joined the Church since entering the Colony. Though they are still young in the faith, their new found religion is a true source of strength and guidance. Instead of us being able to help them, their courage, cheerfulness and childlike faith have helped me and rebuked me more than once.

IN AS MUCH AS YE DID IT. . .

We have also been greatly encouraged by visits from officials and friends, the former have been friendly too, and have shown a sympathetic interest in this piece of social work. The Imperial Family of Japan for many long years has graciously contributed large gifts for the relief of leprosy and we have shared in this bounty. His Excellency the Governor-General of Formosa has visited the Colony in person and expressed his approval of the work. Many others have done likewise; the visitors' book contains some illustrious names with appreciations added. But nothing has encouraged and sustained us more than the loyal and ever willing support given us by the staff, Dr. Li, with his weekly visits, Dispenser Ko in his spotless white coat, Pastor Keh, who has been with Dr. Gushue-Taylor from the beginning, Mr. Tan in the office, whose musical ability has greatly cheered the patients, Mr. H. A. MacMillan of the North Formosa Mission, who acted as treasurer in Dr. Gushue-Taylor's absence, the two nurses ever ready to do the more distasteful tasks, and the cheerful hardworking coolie beloved by all. May God reward them and others not mentioned here for their loving sacrificial service.

Come And Ye Shall See

Let me introduce a few of the patients. This elderly gentleman, Mr. A., was one of the leading men in the city, a doctor of the old style, practising in native medicines. He used to organize the idol processions which take the place here of a Lord Mayor's Show. Leprosy is no respector of persons. He contracted the disease and had to come here. He has since become a Christian and is an elder in the Church. The patients all respect him and will take his advice when they are inclined to doubt mine! So I get a lot of things across through him. He is quite reconciled to his surroundings now. "If I had not become a leper" he said once, "I should never have heard the Gospel. Though my skin is diseased my heart has been cleansed through Christ. It was worth while being afflicted to win such a blessing."

That care-worn coolie over there working so strenuously in his vegetable patch is not so reconciled to his lot. Poor man, he gets fits of depression, of worrying over his family. He overtaxes his strength, digging in the field growing market produce in order to earn money to send to his wife. (The vegetables grown by the patients are sold to the Colony only). "How can I be happy", he exclaimed one day, "even in this patients' paradise while my wife and children are living in a hovel down south. I owned a little house and I had to rent it to raise money to keep the family, while I came up here to get cured. Now they are living in a lean-to shed which I knocked up along side the house next to an open drain. It is not even fit for pigs," and he burst into tears.

One Sunday in Church he rose up in the middle of the Communion Service and went out without partaking. He confessed to me afterwards, "I felt I was far too unworthy to approach the Lord's Table after all my ungrateful grumbling", and I had to comfort him by explaining that the Lord welcomes such penitent men as he.

Here comes another interesting character, a marionette showman, a marvellous mimic and ventriloquist. He contributes to the gaiety of the Colony and can give us an excellent show, funny without being vulgar, at the shortest notice. For our farewell party the patients put on one of the cleanest and most amusing entertainments I have ever attended. Our ex-showman stage-managed it all. Such a born comedian is a priceless gift to the Colony.

Other trades and professions are represented among the patients. Here is an ex-newspaper man with a keen mind and wide outlook. That tall handsome man is a clever electrician proud of his ability and most unreconciled to the lot of a leper. And there is a skilled blacksmith whose brother died in the Colony a year ago from T.B. and leprosy. His brother had been an inveterate gambler steeped in superstition of every kind, but when he died his heart was steeped in the love of God.

There are not only strong and active men struck down in the prime of life with this terrible disease, but boys too, just finishing school, full of hope and promise, eager to make their way in the world. One of them was a great baseball player who played his last game for his school with a patch over his eye to hide the leprous scar which had just developed. And now they have all to be isolated from society until the doctor can pronounce them clean. Recovery is slow even with the best methods that medical skill can devise. During the past year four have been discharged as cured, an old man of seventy, a girl of eleven years of age, and two boys from Tainan. The rest live in hope with occasional lapses into gloomy despair.

Thine Eyes Shall See The King In His Beauty

The women patients are fewer but just as varied, old and young, married and single. One of them has quite a remarkable history, a blind old woman. In her young days she was the capable manageress of a restaurant of ill-fame. While receiving treatment as an out-patient of the leprosy clinic at the Mackay Memorial Hospital, she heard the Gospel and subsequently repented of her evil ways. Being an able woman she soon learned to read her Bible and finding that her eyesight was failing she memorized large portions of the Scriptures, and finally was employed as a Bible woman to teach the other patients. Now her sight has gone and her body is weak but she is still able to lead other women into the Truth.

Another heroine unknown to the world, is one who cannot walk. Though her skin is clean and healthy, nerve leprosy keeps her tied and bound to her bed. When she wants to go to chapel one of the men carries her on his back, or two of the stronger women gradually help her there. During the year she has learned to read her Bible and pray, and her cynical mocking spirit has changed into a loving sympathetic one. Her days are more than full sewing for others, or knitting, or visiting with anyone who needs her help, to carry on in faith. Often on my rounds I have looked in to cheer her up and I have come away from her cottage, myself helped by her quiet courage and patient endurance.

There are two others, sisters from Tainan, who are so disfigured that it is difficult for them to appear in public. Their faces and bodies are terribly afflicted but the beauty of their faith and courage is seldom dimmed. We who know them see only the glory which shines from their hearts.

I Will Fear No Evil

The majority of the patients are of the lower working class, farm hands and day labourers, great strong rough fellows, undisciplined, apt to quarrel and not easy to handle, but they had to take their orders from me, a woman, acting pro tem for Dr. Gushue-Taylor! I have sometimes been asked by visitors if I was not afraid of them! I have been up and around at all hours of the day and night answering calls or investigating disturbances but have never known fear. At different times we have had visits from thieves breaking into the estate and burgling the store-room, so as a precaution we posted several patients to sleep in the clinic room where night disturbances could easily be heard. Thinking that my mother and I would be anxious, the patients on watch used to tell us to go to sleep and not worry. When I had to be away at night and my mother stayed at home the patients always told me not to be anxious, they would look after "Grannie" and take special care of her that night. Do you wonder that one forgot to think of them as lepers, persons to be dreaded and shunned, but more and more thought of them as friends to be loved and trusted?

Where Thieves Break Through And Steal

One night a tragedy nearly occurred, tragic it might have been but it is amusing to look back on. The previous night the thieves had come but the patients on watch hearing a noise rang the alarm bell so the thieves took to their heels and escaped. This night in order to make certain of catching the thieves if they dared to come again, the watchman hid in the shrubbery. Very unwisely two other patients without informing the watchman got up about two a.m. to reconnoitre and crept down the back path. The watchman heard them approaching in the dark and mistaking them for the thieves attacked them vigorously with clubs. One of the patients was laid out before he could explain who he was. All this happened in the garden beneath our bed-room. By this time the whole Colony was roused. I rushed down in my kimono and had to help to separate the two men fighting furiously. Blood was streaming from the head of one of them. It was no easy task to get them reconciled. But soon "Grannie" appeared on the balcony above in her night attire, and her voice as from heaven called out, "Forgive one another, forgive one another." That was sufficient, they apologized and the crowd gradually dispersed and went off to bed.

The Sons of God Shouted For Joy

My mother has helped me considerably in this work. After forty-six years of service in Formosa it was time she took things more easily—but her days here have been full of good deeds. In the mornings she visited the women, cheering them up, teaching them to read their Bibles and learn the hymns. In the afternoons she conducted a singing class. Like the old lady of Banbury Cross, "she shall have music wherever she goes", and she gets it out of the most unlikely material. Mother has trained many choirs in her time but this her last effort is unique, a choir of lepers praising God and practising four-part songs with a joyful perseverance that would put to shame many of our home church choirs. Four afternoons a week they met, a dozen lepers and five of the staff, and their singing attained quite a fair standard of proficiency, though the tenors were rather powerful. Their music was certainly appreciated by the other patients. The

blind old woman who suffers intensely at times said to mother "I wake up sometimes very miserable, feeling that I cannot endure such suffering any longer, wondering how I can get through the long weary day, and then I remember that to-day is choir practice, and I wish the singing would begin! I have pain till the afternoon and then when I hear their voices my heart just thrills with joy and I forget all my troubles, thank God."

LIFE IS EVER LORD OF DEATH AND LOVE CAN NEVER LOSE ITS OWN

Here is a story that my mother tells about her visiting a patient who was drawing near the end of his suffering. One day an English lady visited the Colony and brought us three bundles of lily bulbs. We planted them, the patients watered them, and we all waited expectantly for the first signs of life. One morning not long after, I went into the garden and what did I see but a lovely lily in full bloom of red life and beauty, in praise of its Creator. "I know what I will do. I will just take this to K., who is in the hospital ward. He is sinking very low and scarcely able to speak even in a whisper." "See what I have brought you! Isn't it beautiful" I asked him. "Indeed it is", he whispered hoarsely, "and no doubt there are many such in heaven." "Certainly", I assured him, "How are you to-day, K.?" I went on to ask. "Right here", he gasped, touching his throat, "is very sore, but here in my heart there is a great peace. I am just lying here waiting for the Lord to come and take me home." He only had to wait another day before he passed on into the presence of God.

"BE NOT SLOW TO VISIT A SICK MAN; FOR BY SUCH THINGS THOU SHALT GAIN LOVE"

Such are some of the folk among whom we have lived and such are some of the incidents which have happened during our nineteen months at the Happy Mount Leprosy Colony. Our task was mainly to supervise and keep order, to plan each day's programme so that the patients would be happily occupied in clean wholesome work or recreation to save them from despair, and encourage those afflicted with a nigh incurable disease.

Once when our Lord was asked to give a report on his work he replied, "Tell John . . . the blind receive their sight and the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed . . . and the poor have good tidings preached to them." It is work of this nature which we have been privileged to witness and share in during the past year. I undertook it somewhat reluctantly from a sense of duty, not knowing the blessings which God had in store for me. I lay it down with the strong conviction that Christ is still working among the lepers. "Thy touch has still its ancient power, no word from Thee can fruitless fall".

May God's richest blessing be upon Dr. and Mrs. Gushue-Taylor as they carry on.

GRETTA GAULD.

Report of the Jhansi Canadian Presbyterian Mission

1938

During the year there have been no changes in the staff. Dr. Thurrott has been on furlough and Mr. Lowther has been making a survey of work in other fields. Evangelism has been increasingly stressed.

The Girls' School.—We can report a better spirit of co-operation in the staff this year. . . Six of the teachers are leaders in the Girl Guide and Bluebird groups. Two are interested in the Christian Endeavour groups and others in the School gardens. They also take their share in Sunday School work, in and outside the mission, preaching the Good News to nearby village people. In this work groups of girls also share.

The Hostel.—In the hostel, the girls are learning how to look after themselves. There are no servants, but all the work of cleaning, dusting, making beds, cooking, etc., is done by the girls themselves. School work does not suffer as records show. Three of the sixth class girls got distinction in Arithmetic. Guide and Bluebird groups still rank highest of all Jhansi groups. Five girls have taken up nursing in various places and we know they will be real workers for the Master.

Miss Magee, having passed her first year examination has begun to take part in the work and is finding teachers and pupils alike very interesting.

WOMEN'S EVANGELISTIC AND MEDICAL WORK

Miss Whatling will be leaving for her second furlough in March. During the past year she has centred her efforts entirely upon Baragaon and nearby villages. The village people are very friendly and in this respect the door is open for evangelism. There are many things in their lives that show their great need of Christ. Many have given up idol worship but still live in fear of the higher castes and of losing caste. The ordinary villager has not the love and knowledge necessary to care for the sick, and so there are many pitiful cases and much unnecessary suffering. Recently an old woman of the potter caste who had been suffering from cancer for two years, passed away, resting her hope in Jesus. In January, a motherless babe, two months old, was given to Miss Whatling to care for. She writes that to-day she is a precious child of one year. The villagers remark that the love of God must be very strong to enable us to take a wee babe like that and trust in Him for her health and strength.

The little church building has been a great blessing. Sophiebai, who lives in part of the bungalow, has been very busy at times in the dispensary and has also had several maternity cases.

Miss Whatling writes: "We commenced the past year with high hopes after our revival of November and December of the previous year. Sometimes I think we expected too much. The discouragements, however, often prove His way of drawing us nearer unto Himself that we may look to Him rather than to man. Some have gone out from us for reasons that were not encouraging by any means. It was a time of keen disappointment and testing but in the midst of it God gave this promise 'Refrain thy voice from weeping and thy eyes from tears; for thy work shall be rewarded, saith the Lord, and they shall come again from the land of the enemy'. (Jer. 31:16) Who could remain discouraged with such a promise as that!"

Miss Simpson was suddenly called away to Jobat at the time of writing and so has not sent in her report. Since Dr. Thurrott left she has had an oversight of Babina and each week takes some of the women there for evangelistic work. She also supervises the orphanage which is in Gracebai's care and is responsible for the dispensary where nurse Miriam attends to the sick. When anyone in the mission is ill it is to her we look for help. Besides this she conducts a daily Bible class for the women of the compound.

MEN'S EVANGELISTIC REPORT

Mr. Cheshire writes.—"This is a report of the evangelistic work for which I was more or less responsible and does not include the work of the Boys' School, the pastor, Mr. Moti Lall or the Mission Farm.

During 1938 over fifty trips for Gospel work were made into Jhansi City and 188 different villages were visited, 147 of them for the first time. Four Hindu festivals were visited where the Gospel was preached and books sold. In all over 2,000 Gospel portions were sold and about 5,000 tracts distributed.

Huri, the village preacher, continued to go to nearby villages when his health permitted.

A Bible school was started in April which continued for two months. There were five students. We had two or three hours in class and an average of an hour each day in prayer for five days each week. Most of the week-ends were spent in camp and this time largely given to preaching in different villages. At one time a Bible selling trip was made in the truck. There were 12 of us in the group and during the one day of the trip the group visited twelve villages and sold 430 Gospel portions. One of the larger of these villages is the capital of a small Indian state where all Gospel work is forbidden but for some reason no notice was taken of our Bible selling intrusion.

During the year a few people showed great interest in the Gospel message and a still smaller number professed faith in Christ but in no case was this faith strong enough to cause a break with the old life. For this reason no one was asked to give his name:

about all that could be done was to make a note that in such and such a village there is a man who some day may come out from among his fellows and take his stand for the Lord—according to our faith so be it unto him.''

THE BOYS' EDUCATIONAL AND EVANGELISTIC REPORT

Greater effort is made each year to emphasize the spiritual side of the work, to make our institution more and more a real evangelizing agency.

In the Hostel Prayer-room, the morning and evening worship periods, the day school Bible study classes, the Sunday School, the Church Services, the Christian Endeavour meetings in which they engage, they not only receive plenty of Bible teaching but are given an opportunity to put it to practical use and to develop their spiritual lives. The non-Christian children who attend the school are treated almost as if they were Christian and are required to take the same religious instruction. They are given all the tracts they care to take away and are welcomed in any Church meetings or special Christian functions they wish to attend.

This year one encouraging feature has been that more teachers and other laymen have been ready and anxious to go as leaders with groups of boys. This is one of the results of the revival we experienced at the end of last year. We are most grateful to Mr. Moti Lall, the pastor of our Jhansi Church, for his leadership and untiring efforts in getting as many as possible to participate in the work of spreading the Gospel. Except for a month or two in the very hot weather and rainy season, the work has not slackened but more and more has been attempted until it is hard to imagine a fuller programme. You might be interested in the work carried on in the non-Christian community by our staff and pupils. At present nine Sunday Schools are conducted weekly, four magic lantern lectures are given weekly; preaching is carried on in some nearby village once a week, bazaar preaching in Jhansi is held on another night of the week, and Gospel selling is done whenever an opportunity is afforded. Some times when a meeting is broken up or is unsuccessful we turn to Gospel selling rather than be defeated and are cheered by the results. We aim to have at least one big day each month for book selling. Mr. Cheshire with his Gospel motor truck has been kind enough to take out loads on several of such trips and much good work was done in preaching and personal work as well as the Gospel selling. After a strenuous day of fourteen or fifteen hours, the groups would come home singing hymns and happier than if they had been at the finest picnic in the world. In this way, during the year over 1,200 Gospels were sold. Our thanks is also due to the W.M.S. ladies for so kindly offering their motor cars for special outside work throughout the year.

The native W.M.S. of 26 members raised Rs. 134 which was spent in outside mission work, in supporting an orphan girl and in contributing to the Church Poor Fund. The Sunday School has a membership of 250 and raised Rs. 342. Other Church offerings amounted to Rs. 1,098. There were 36 baptisms, six of which were of non-Christians, and 12 were accepted into full membership. . . Saturday of each week was observed as a day of prayer. Our motto is Romans 12:1, 2.

THE FARM

Farm settlements in India present many problems. After experimenting for some years, those missions who have established them are generally of the opinion that the results in the advance of God's Kingdom do not justify their continuance of mission support and most of them have been discontinued.

Mr. Hawtin came out to India twenty-four years ago and has endeavoured to teach better methods of farming, to improve the economic status of the Christians, and to establish a community that would be self-supporting. In these efforts a degree of success has been attained. There are now about thirty families, most of whom are farmers. They have their own rented land and good houses and plenty to eat and to wear. Their children are being educated by two conscientious, trained, teachers. The Farm Primary school now has about 45 pupils attending. The pitiful cases of sickness and misery such as one sees in non-Christian villages are rare here. They have their own self-supporting church with leaders capable of conducting all services and Church

business. . . Recently we have come to the conclusion that the time has come when they should be independent so that they may develop more self-reliance and faith in God and look less to missionaries and missions for help.

We are trying to find a person to buy the farm who will respect the rights of the Christians.

It is with many regrets that we retire from this work, which though somewhat difficult has been interesting and we have had many things to be thankful for.

We gratefully remember the kindness of the Home Board and the encouragements from the many friends of the mission.

(MRS.) A. HAWTIN.

Koreans in Japan

ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1938

Days lengthen into weeks and weeks into months. Another year has passed, while more and more brightly burns a Hope within our souls. Earthly shadows lengthen, but a Radiance gleams from afar. More and more creation groans in travail and pain, but time hastens on, and it is ''yet a little while, and He that shall come will come, and will not tarry.'' This is the message which I would bring to you—the certainty of our Hope—that we may rejoice together in the knowledge that faith must soon give place to sight, that this vision which has been burning more and more brightly in our souls must soon burst forth in all its splendour, as our blessed Lord comes to claim His own.

Miss MacLean, who has been attending Language School in Tokyo, reports that the bright faces of the students present a challenge. There are 8,000 Korean students in Tokyo, and there must be thousands who do not attend any church. There are two student congregations and about one hundred attend each church. There are many who attend a Japanese church. The pastors are doing good work, and one cannot help but feel that many Koreans have been blessed and helped through their service.

The experiences of the months before leaving for Tokyo were many and varied, not the least of which was the flood of early July and the days following, when our hearts were saddened by the devastation which we saw in our lovely Kobe. Once again we realized in a deeper sense God's power and grace.

The meetings of the Women's Missionary Society have been very encouraging, and the Presbyterial meeting held in April was an enthusiastic and interesting one. Under the leadership of Mrs. Noh (wife of Pastor Noh of Osaka) we believe that the women will strive to do greater things for the Master during the present year. Friends in Canada may be interested in knowing that in the Kansai Presbyterial there are 23 auxiliaries with a membership of over 500, whose givings were 3,040 yen ($1,013) last year.

The Kindergarten work has been encouraging also. In April a small one was started at Ikeda where the teacher is one of our own girls, the daughter of an Osaka elder, and who, as a child, attended our Sunday School. These little schools should really be called nursery schools, for they are not exactly the same as Kindergartens. Recently, the Kobe school was fortunate enough to be chosen as one of the six best for their exhibit of handwork, when an exhibition was held to which many Kindergartens from all over the country sent in specimens of their work. Last March more than ninety children received their diplomas and have gone on to attend Japanese primary school.

Mr. MacKay reports that on the whole the changes in the Nagoya district during the past year have not been very noticeable. There has, however, been growth in strength and numbers. The Sawgu group organized itself as an independent church unit in the spring, as the Tonggu group had done the previous year. The original church in Nagoya has gradually gained new adherents.

Mr. MacKay and his helper, Mr. Kim Sang Do, continue to preach the Gospel in the streets and homes of non-Christians, searching out the Koreans in the highways and byways of the city. There are 60,000 or more of our people living there, and the

Nagoya work is to see that none are overlooked. The method employed is to approach them with sheet tracts, attractively printed in red and blue. They are purposely not long enough to discourage the casual reader, yet of sufficient scope to contain the Gospel message in brief. The heading is in large blue characters followed by a question in red. The answer is a verse of Scripture in blue, with the chapter and verse noted at the end. This in turn is followed by another question and answer; and thus to the end, where an exhortation is given in larger red characters. The tract most frequently used has seven leading questions, and the answers given are Scripture verses. With this tract-introduction a talk with them follows, explaining more in full the way of salvation through the atoning death of Christ.

It has become desirable for the Korean women to change their manner of dress. The majority prefer western style clothing, and in order to assist them in making new garments and making over old ones it was thought advisable to engage a trained sewing teacher. The young woman secured is well qualified, having previously taught in a sewing school. Her method of working is to spend about two weeks in the larger church centres, and the women from the smaller places are encouraged to attend these classes. Korean women in general sew very well, and no doubt will soon learn to make western style clothing.

For a number of years Miss A. Murray's Bible class in New Glasgow, N.S., has been sending through the W.M.S., (E.D.), one hundred dollars to be allocated by the Mission Council to some needy purpose. This fund is now being used entirely to make it possible for some of the seminary students to spend their Sundays assisting small congregations to whom, as yet, it has been impossible to send a full-time worker. At present four students are being given some help, chiefly in the way of travel expense, from this fund. They reach their church early Sunday morning and begin the day's work with a Sunday School for the children at nine o'clock. At ten the adult class meets, and at eleven the whole group meets for public worship. The afternoons are usually given to house visitation, street preaching, and tract distribution. In the evening an evangelistic service is held, to which the non-Christians are especially invited. This gives the student a good opportunity to study the church's work, and many and varied are his experiences.

The closing Sunday of May was a time of rejoicing in the southern part of our field, when the Christians of Shimonoseki saw the realization of a service much anticipated, in fact, a combination service—the dedication of the Shimonoseki Church to the Lord, in combination with a ten-years' celebration of the life of the congregation. The church, a gray stucco, vine-clad structure, has an ideal location, being set on a hill, so that they who go to worship literally "go up to give thanks unto the name of the Lord." And that day, as they went up surely they were glad. It was more than a service—it was almost a day spent in the house of the Lord, for the day began with the usual Bible study and worship services, then at noon, representatives from the neighbouring congregations of Ube, Kokura, and Yahada, partook of the meal prepared for guests and served in the pastor's house which adjoins the church; while the culmination was the impressive dedication service held at two o'clock with an audience of at least 150 people. Among those who spoke words of congratulation were two notable guests, a Japanese layman who is deeply interested in the development of Christian work among the Korean people, and a Japanese lady representative of the branch of the Salvation Army in Shimonoseki. It was a time of rejoicing on the part of the people, and their gratitude found expression in the giving of their means to wipe out the church debt. Previous to this, the pastor, during a visit to Korea, had solicited aid for this Shimonoseki Church. A number of people, eager to help their brothers in Japan, but unable to give money, had given of their most precious possessions. Accordingly, that day, the pastor displayed a tray on which rested a wrist-watch, some rings and other small articles which had been given with the hope that they could be exchanged for money in aid of the church, which hope materialized.

A visit to Shimonoseki usually gives opportunity for a visit to five other churches in the southern district, including Nagasaki, the most southerly point of our field. Nagasaki has a very weak and in some ways a disappointing little group, whose attendants have seemingly been Christians only a short time. They are chiefly fishermen who are absent frequently on fishing trips, and so the work there is not particularly encouraging. One gratifying feature is the keen interest in and kindness shown to this little group by the missionaries to the Japanese people in Shimonoseki. The group have no building in which to worship, but for some years these missionaries have most generously allowed them the use of their Kindergarten building. We appreciate this kindness and hope that we may yet see evidences of progress made and real fruit borne.

We should like to express heart-felt gratitude to the Home Board and to our numerous helpers at home for making possible the work carried on by our Korean nurse. Who can measure the real value and extent of her work, as she goes about bringing comfort and cheer to the sick and brightness to many a home? As time permits, Nurse Lee visits from house to house in company with our Bible women, and as she finds cases of dire need, she brings to us a report of such, that we may consider what action can be taken. In addition to this, our nurse visits the churches holding classes for women in which she gives them much valuable information. In November the people of the southern part of our field were delighted with such a visit from our nurse, who visited six centres, holding classes for two days in each group, as well as giving assistance and advice to individuals in need. In addition to the actual work of the nurse, this medical fund has enabled us a number of times to render assistance to our workers who have had long and severe illness, incurring much expense, and without the wherewithal to meet it. We are hoping that the time is not far distant when this work can be carried on on a more extensive scale, with the employment of a Korean doctor and a medical clinic in the city of Osaka with its 200,000 Koreans.

We express our gratitude to God for His blessing upon this work among the Korean people, our heart-felt thanks also to all who have given of their gifts, or in any way have assisted in making this work possible. May we thus together continue to work faithfully and earnestly under the guidance of our Lord and Master in making known His name and His saving power among men!

STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR 1938

Agents from the home church:		
Ordained missionaries		2
Lady missionaries		5
Number of stations where missionaries live		2
Native agents:		13
Ordained ministers		3
Unordained male evangelists		8
Male student evangelists		17
Church elders		28
Bible women		15
Churches:		41
Organized congregations		15
Churches without elders		6
Prayer meeting places		215
Nursery Schools		63
Nursery School Pupils		2,226
Sunday Schools		31
Sunday School Pupils		1,561
Vacation Bible Schools		41
Vacation Bible School Pupils		996
Women's Missionary Societies		
Women's Missionary Society members	$13,929.23	Y41,787.69
Total Church offerings	$17,085.97	51,257.91
Value of Native Church property		

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The Bhil Field

Report for 1938

The Bhil Field comprises an area about 100 miles north to south at its greatest extent and varying from 50 to 100 miles from east to west. It includes the whole of the States of Alirajpur, Jobat and Barwani, and large sections of the States of Gwalior, Indore and Dhar. The population in this area of more than 500,000 is almost entirely Bhil, except in the towns and in the eastern portion of the Barwani district in which the people are Hindus with a few Mohammedans. In this area our Mission has five main stations: Amkhut, Mendha and Alirajpur, all in the State of Alirajpur; Jobat in the State of Jobat; and Barwani in the State of Barwani. There are also six out-stations in which evangelists live, besides other points where regular preaching is done. Evangelistic missionaries of the Board are stationed at Amkhut, Mendha, Jobat and Barwani. The Central Boarding School for primary and middle school classes is at Amkhut under the charge of the W.M.S., and there are lower primary schools under supervision of the W.M.S. at Sardi, Mendha, Chicheniya and Jobat. The few boys who proceed to high school studies attend the state high school in Alirajpur, and the girls attend a girls' high school in another mission. The Mission Hospital, with Maternity Ward and Nurses' Home, is in Jobat and is a large and flourishing institution. There are also dispensaries at Amkhut and Mendha.

From the above account it will be seen that the work of the Mission continues to minister to body, mind, and spirit, through its medical, educational, and evangelistic agencies. The hospital and dispensaries strive also to minister to the souls of the sick, knowing that the man or woman healed in body alone is only partially restored. The schools strive for the development of Christian character in the plastic lives committed to them. The Gospel brings the salvation of God to enslaved bodies, darkened minds, and lost souls.

The Staff

At the General Assembly of 1938 the Rev. Dr. John Buchanan was granted permission to retire from active missionary service. Dr. Buchanan, as almost all our church members know, is the veteran missionary of our work among the Bhil people. He commenced work at Amkhut 42 years ago, and has completed in all 50 years of strenuous service for Christ in India. Although retired from active service, he is back in India again, and still continues to be most enthusiastic and active in the work that has become a very part of his life. Since returning, he has been giving special attention to the work at Toran Mal, and we wish for him many years more of health and strength in the work for which he has given himself down through these many years.

We are most grateful to the Church at home and to the Board for the appointment of Rev. and Mrs. Fred C. Knox, valued additions to our small missionary staff. They are showing a very keen interest in every phase of the work of the mission, and we wish for them a long and successful life of service among the Bhils. They arrived on the field in November and have been appointed to Jobat for language study. We will let Mr. Knox speak for himself. He writes: "We have been applying ourselves diligently to the study of the language since our arrival. Devotion to language study, however, has not prevented us from visiting the other stations on our field".

Inter-Mission Councils

Our Mission and Church have been ably represented this year in the Mid-India Representative Christian Council and in the Bhil Work Council. Through the former, the work of our Church and Mission is correlated with the work of other Churches and Missions working in the Hindi-speaking area of Central India, and we receive stimulus and guidance in our common task. Through the newly organized Bhil Work Council we are able to take counsel with those who are working particularly among Bhils. The third meeting of the Council was held in Dohad in September and representatives from nine missions working among Bhils were present. Committees on the Worship and Ministry of the Church, Adult Education, Self-Support and Stewardship, and Medical

Work brought in helpful reports. The Council affords a valuable opportunity for those with a common task to discuss common problems, difficulties, and plans. The value of the Council should increase in the future. Our Mission was honoured in the election of the Rev. C. P. Young to be secretary in succession to Dr. F. H. Russell who retires from mission work in 1939.

The Church and Home Missions

The work of the Church has been maintained during the year although there has been no significant increase in membership or in the number of Christians. Two congregations, at Amkhut and Jobat, support their pastors. All the congregations, through the Presbytery, continue the full support of their Home Missionary in their Home Mission field at Talawad in south Jhabua.

AMKHUT

Evangelistic

The opening months of 1938 found Mr. MacDonald and his family in camp between Jobat and Kukshi where he had not toured before. From the beginning there was keen interest in the Gospel Message. Missionaries, Catechists and Bible women were always assured of a good hearing, whether in the homes of the villagers, with groups of men and women in the fields, or around the campfire at night when often from eighty to one hundred people would gather and remain until after ten o'clock to listen to the message in word and song.

He reports:—"Often we are asked if there are any signs in our mission area of the beginning of a mass movement such as is taking place in our neighbouring mission. There is a restlessness and interest among the people with a desire to know more of the Christian message. Such encouragements may not lead to a mass movement, but our prayer is that a real Christ-ward movement may result from all the seed-sowing.

We are now living at Amkhut, the oldest and largest Christian community in the mission and we are beginning to realize to some extent the responsibility resting upon those of us who are called to take up the work laid down by Dr. and Mrs. Buchanan. There is still a great field for evangelism round about us and in the adjoining state of Kathiwara where as yet there are no Christians. There is the oversight and feeding of the flock, and there are the young men and women, boys and girls, 'the hope of the Church', in the Bhil land, to be brought to Christ. For the accomplishing of these challenging tasks, we need your prayer. 'Others have laboured and we have entered into their labours'."

Educational

The biggest event of our school life this year was without a doubt the visit of Bakht Singh, an Indian evangelist. At the time when he came to us our girls were in a most rebellious mood. They were dissatisfied with everything and had reached the place where firm treatment was necessary. Through the testimony and preaching of Bakht Singh they got a new vision of Christ and a marvellous change was wrought in a great many hearts. The old problems settled themselves once the work of grace began in their hearts and lives. In the adult community we did not see the result that we had hoped for, but the experience in these young lives is bound to be felt in years to come.

Pray for us all that we may go forward to bigger and better things in the year before us.

Amkhut school, under Miss Sherrick's direction has gone along much as usual this year. There are about one hundred and forty children enrolled and the teachers are eight in number. Due chiefly to the fact that a number of Barwani children are attending the Barwani State School this year and are living at home, our enrolment is a little less than usual.

From among our older boys and girls, two girls have gone out to take seventh class work and teacher training, three others are taking a Domestic Course and one is

in Jobat hospital taking nurse's training. One boy is taking seventh class work and one carpentry. Other senior boys and girls did not return to school of any kind. There is still a shortage of trained teachers especially for the higher classes, but we have a number taking teacher training and we hope that they will soon relieve the situation.

So the years come and go and with them groups of students. It is a great work and we pray that the Lord will use these teachers to draw the young people to Himself and that He will raise up more Bhil men and women to share in this service.

JOBAT

Evangelistic

During the year, Mr. Wood and his evangelists have been occupied in preaching the Gospel in village, home, bazaar, country side and camp. In several villages, Bhil and Hindu, meetings have been held by special request. There is definitely a new interest over the area but still a holding back from making a clean break with caste connections.

The Jobat field reaches to within twenty miles of the southern extremity of the Bhil Mass Movement in the United Church of Canada mission field. From January to April a concentrated evangelistic effort was made in twenty villages in that part of the field. The Gospel Message received a marvellous hearing, the homes of the people were made open to the messengers, large groups came daily to learn the Way of Christ, individuals professed faith in Christ and for several weeks we expected a large number to step out boldly for Christ. The people of one village made special request for baptism, set the date themselves for the ceremony, and received preparatory instruction for a week, but lies and threats had their evil effect and only two brave women were willing finally to accept the "sign of Christ". . . They would have been thrown out of home and village and so were asked to wait and win their fellow villagers by their witness and example.

Studies of mass movements show that they have begun with individuals who were converted and became flaming evangelists among their fellows. Our daily effort and prayer is to the end that some individual or individuals in our area may heed Christ's call and become centres of evangelistic fervour resulting in large ingatherings into the Kingdom in the area entrusted to us.

Miss Douglas was able to devote part of her time to evangelistic work, and writes, "It was a great joy to be able to spend the best part of November and December in camp. This year we were in a section of our field which had not been toured before. We found the usual friendly interested Bhils, but some seemed even more interested than usual. We had great hopes for these, and were disappointed when the time came to return to Jobat for Christmas that none had decided for Christ. We continue to pray that the Spirit may bring conviction to their hearts, that here in these jungles the spiritual fire will break out, sweeping fear and prejudice and false worship before it, bringing each Bhil son and daughter to the feet of Christ."

Medical

For the Jobat hospital Dr. Quinn and Miss McConnell report as follows:—"Looking over the year 1938 we feel we can report progress in the Hospital. It is a great grief to us that we cannot report large numbers who have accepted Christ, but we do rejoice because of the two who did accept Him as their Saviour, and because of those who became truly interested in the message of Salvation. We feel we must be 'instant' in spreading the Gospel, and in trying to win the patients for the Master.

Winter and early Spring are our busiest time, and last year was no exception. Before Dr. Quinn left in the middle of March for Language Study in Landour, he performed forty-two operations. It was a busy time for all. March was unusually busy because of special Evangelistic Services in the Church. The hospital staff wanted to attend as many meetings as possible, but the sick had to be cared for, so we arranged for the staff to be present at as many meetings as possible. Bakht Singh came and spoke to the patients too.

In July we added two girls to our staff for Practical Nurses' Training. They did not meet the requirements for regular training. We feel the effort has been worth while as the girls have adapted themselves very well and made good progress. We hope soon to have girls from our own Mission who will meet the requirements for the Nurses' Training Class.

Clinics which were begun early in the year were very beneficial to the patients who attended them. We are hoping to establish more of these clinics in the surrounding villages. Ward clinics with the staff have been an added encouragement. The .work has been done more intelligently by the hospital staff because of Dr. Quinn's lectures.

The follow-up work has been going on. The patients hear the Message in hospital as we minister to their physical need, through the pastor and Bible woman, also in the evangelistic services held for them, but if we do not follow up the work after they go to their homes, and seek to win them for Christ, we are failing in the work for which we have been called.

The X-ray is a great attraction. It is wonderful to think that these Bhils in the middle of the jungle have the advantages of Quartz lamp, diathermy treatment, etc.

Continue to pray for us that 1939 may see a great ingathering of souls."

Statistics for Jobat Hospital for 1938 are as follows:—

In-patients—Bhils		155
	Hindus	82
	Mohammedans	69
	Christians	108
	Total	414
	Male, 234; Female, 180.	
Babies born in hospital male		17
	female	27
Total number of hospital days		6,614
Number of deaths in hospital		13
Operations, major		29
	Minor	33
	Total	62
Out-patients—Bhils		2,377
	Hindus	697
	Mohammedans	558
	Christians	412
	Total	4,044
	Repeats	4,782
	Total	8,826
	Male, 2,545; Female, 1,499.	

Educational

For the year 1938 among the primary schools, Miss Douglas reports that, "Although no new schools have been opened and no new teachers appointed yet it has been gratifying to see steady progress in each of the four centres where school is held. This progress can be seen in improved methods of teaching and in better results on the part of the children.

The enrolment in the village schools is around eighty, most of these children coming from Christian homes. We greatly regret that among the Bhils there is not more interest in education. We could have any number of Hindu and Mohammedan students, but these are not permitted to attend. During the monsoon season, and as long as there is much work on the farms, it is difficult to get even the Christian children to attend regularly. The teachers persevere however, endeavouring to lay a true foundation for Christian character in the young lives in their charge. Many of the children

will go on to the Boarding School in Amkhut for the work of the higher classes, but many will remain on the farms. How important it is that these should come to know Him Who said, 'I am the Way', and that they should be able to read for themselves the Scriptures which are able to make them wise unto Salvation.''

Mendha and Alirajpur

These two stations are now in charge of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Young. Early in 1938 while camping at Warjhar they found people who, without having come into direct contact with the missionary, had come into a knowledge of the Bible and of Christ. They had left off the worship of spirits, the marks of fire, and many of the bad habits of their ancestors. They were and are pressing forward—but not without many trials. State officials and their reactionary headman, all place as many obstacles as possible in their way. They find it difficult to marry their children to their own people—a very real hardship to people in India. Yet their faces are to the Light. Daily they read and worship in the name of Christ.

During this whole year as much spiritual training and inspiration as possible have been given, especially to the leaders in the congregations. The Sunday School in Mendha has been very well attended, the average for the year being about seventy each Sunday. Preachers, teachers, and elders also carried on Sunday Schools in nearby places. Bhabra, where one baptized family from among the untouchables lives, had the best average attendance, twenty-five.

During the rains when it was not possible to be out on tour, we spent week about in Mendha and Alirajpur. Only four high school boys lived in the hostel at Alirajpur this year. The Sunday School and congregation there are made up of all the Protestant Christians in the city. There are only about thirty, but most of them attend services very regularly.

As in other countries, so in India, and especially among the depressed peoples, to many the Kingdom of Heaven consists in having plenty of this world's goods, the respect of one's neighbours, and social position. Each individual for his or her own part wishes to be 'at ease in Zion', disregarding the needs of tribesmen and neighbours. Therefore, special emphasis is laid at all times on the preaching of the Word and the uplifting of the Saviour and His cross from the earth. For we see not the few being materially fattened, but nations being reborn until ''the kingdoms of this world become the Kingdom of our Lord and of His Christ''.

Barwani

From Barwani Mr. Toombs reports: ''On the first of January 1938 we baptized our first convert from Asara, a place where Naku Padre, an agent supported by the missionaries, has carried on work since 1935.

The Barwani church records 22 baptisms for the year, over half of whom were non-Christians coming into the church. Some of these have remained true, others have found persecution and religious ostracism more than they could bear, and have gone back into caste. This reversion is due in many cases to the greater social advantages obtained by belonging to the larger Hindu community, and not because of any strong preference for the Hindu religion. Toward the latter part of this year I was itinerating near the village of Satmattra where I met a member of a family, several of whom had been baptized five or six years ago and had later gone back into caste. I enquired of this young man whether he still remembered Jesus. 'Oh, yes Sahib, my younger brother reads the Bible, the remainder of us sit and listen. After he has read a portion of Scripture he leads in prayer'. I then enquired whether he ever prayed to Jesus. 'No Sahib, I never pray, I can only listen to my younger brother, he knows how to pray and I have never been taught'. In India, where prayer consists in ringing a temple bell or repeating the name of some god continuously, it is quite necessary to teach the people to pray. It is the old cry of the disciples, 'Lord, teach us to pray'.

Our congregation at Khalghat forty miles to the East continues to make steady progress. In many respects it seems to be the most encouraging in the whole of our

field. Without a resident missionary and material advantages so often associated with him, they have nevertheless been able to bring in a small but steady flow of converts. Their baptismal register shows that nearly twenty new converts were brought in during the year.''

In conclusion, we wish that we could report great ingatherings into the Kingdom of God. At the beginning of the year we had hoped that large numbers would be asking to be received as Christians and instructed in the Way of Christ. Our hopes have not yet been realized, but we look forward with our trust in Christ. The Seed has been faithfully sown, Christ has been taught as the Saviour from sin and the Lord of life, Who will bring the Bhils, also the Hindus and Mohammedans, as individuals and as a people into the light and life and liberty of the sons of God. How desperately they need Him. In many ways the Bhils are so simple and so very lovable. And yet, it is only necessary to see them in drunken, debauched revelry, or in wild slaughter of goats for senseless sacrifices, or in dread of the very real enemy spirits which surround them, to realize how much Christ could mean to them and how much He would mean if only allowed to become Saviour and Lord. And yet, bound by the fetters of rites, customs and opinions of their tribal members, living and dead, they admit Christ's Way to be best, but seemingly cannot break loose. We do rejoice in the earnest of a redeemed people in those of the Bhils and others who own Christ as Saviour and Lord, but we long for a great turning to Him. To this end we again ask for your continued and fervent prayers for these needy people and for us your representatives. ''The Lion of Judah shall break every chain'', and He shall yet win these people to His own allegiance.

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Shanghai

The year 1938 is over with a great hope for the future, for people in China do not lose hope either in democracy or in the ideals which the democratic nations stand for. We as Christians, have full confidence in God, our Merciful Father who has protected us through all these months of conflicts.

My family still lives in the Christian Literature Building, and as my office is so near my living quarters I can do more work, though at times I feel I need a rest in a forest so that I can enjoy nature and be near God.

So much for the general condition. Now as to my work in the Christian Literature Society, the following three books were really done in 1937, but owing to abnormal conditions they were not printed in 1937. They were all published this year (1939). They are as follows: (1) Pilgrim's Progress, part two; (2) What I Owe to the Christian Church; With a supplement: The Missionaries Whom I Admire; (3) A Short Life of D. L. Moody, based on Day's book.

As tracts for refugees and wounded soldiers are in demand, the following three tracts were prepared and published during the year: (1) Prayers for the Afflicted; (2) The Achievement of Happiness being a chapter of H. C. Link's ''The Return to Religion''; (3) John Three-Sixteen—an original work illustrating the love of God.

There seems to be a constant demand for Christian readers for illiterates. So I prepared the fourth reader of the Short Term Reader for Illiterate Church Members. In another connection, I also started this year a series entitled, ''People's Story Reader''. This first reader is not so Biblical as the Short Term Reader. Non-Christians can start with it, if they so wish.

The Shining Light has published Muriel Lester's ''Why Worship'', and now it is in pamphlet form with the permission of the author. We have also published

"Holy Living" in *The Shining Light*, and now it is available in a book form, but the entire book is not ready. The present edition is incomplete. By the way, the author of "Holy Living" was Jeremy Taylor.

During the year we have published the Fourth Series of World's, "Famous Stories." It contains nine helpful stories, including one on Mary Slessor. This book has more than 280 pages. As a series, students of Christian middle schools like the contents.

In my work with young men in the Y.M.C.A., I prepared a course on Vital Problems of Life. Now it is published in a pamphlet form, entitled "Some of Life's Vital Problems." And this one is in simple English.

So much for the new books. This year's reprints are rather encouraging. "My Religion" is now in its fourteenth edition. D.V.B.S. Readers, the First Reader has gone into its 25th edition, Second Reader into its 17th edition, Third Reader into its 14th edition, Fourth Reader into its 8th edition. Thousands of poor boys and girls use them during summer vacations and other seasons. The future demands seem to be still great. The fifth and sixth readers do not sell so well.

Country churches use another series, called "Short Term Reader for Illiterate Church Members." The First Reader is now in its 6th edition, Second Reader 4th edition, Third Reader 3rd edition. Some of the C.L.S. Readers were also reprinted during the year.

Text-books for middle schools are picking up somewhat, since regulations prohibiting the use of Christian books are not so exacting now. The following three books were reprinted during the year: A Short Study of Religions, 10th edition; New Testament Characters, 4th edition; Young People's Philosophy of Life (in English), 3rd edition.

Some evangelistic tracts have been reprinted once or more during the year: Dr. Sun Yat-sen and Christianity, 4th edition; Soul Surgery, 3rd edition; Why Not Try God, 2nd edition. Books of the same nature were also reprinted: Gray's, Finding God; Pilgrim's Progress, part one, fourth edition; K. S. Lee's, A Changed Exchange Broker. Two more story books were reprinted: Stories of Co-operation; World's Famous Stories, third series.

With reference to *The Shining Light*, a monthly for young people, we are gradually increasing its pages. But as abnormal conditions prevail, this monthly will be combined with the *Preachers' Magazine* for a few months yet.

Aside from my work in the society, I also preach in the Fitch Memorial Church as before. At times I was also invited out to preach. The Shanghai Christian Broadcasting Station is still functioning in our building. I give devotional talks twice each week rather regularly.

Our society is building a branch godown office in the capital of Yunnan. Our business manager, Mr. Terry, is now supervising it. I was asked to assist him, but finally I decided not to go.

Sales of our books are improving all the time. Shanghai seems still to be the centre for distribution.

In closing, allow me once more to express my appreciation of your continued support. While many people are rendered homeless and jobless, I have no worry for material needs. Our four children are growing up fast. My wife seems to be able to stand the strain of inconvenience, living as we do in the society's building. We pay a monthly rent, about $80.00 including tax. Our home in the occupied area may still be there, but we have never been back once since August, 1937.

Our comfort is that God is with us and Christ died for our sins. Christianity is the only hope for mankind.

Yours sincerely,

Z. K. Zia.

Canadian Presbyterian Mission British Guiana

Annual Report for the Year 1938

A century ago, on May 5th, 1838, the first East Indians landed in British Guiana. They came in small groups, as indentured immigrants, and doubtless with no thought of remaining away from Mother India for long. Today the East Indian community forms the largest racial unit in the cosmopolitan population of this country, and it is represented in every phase of the country's life, including honoured places in government and the professions.

For fifty-three of the one hundred years our church has laboured in the colony, and with the sole exception of the West Indian congregation in the mother church at Better Hope, its ministry has been exclusively to East Indians. Our history began when the Rev. J. Gibson, a graduate of Knox College, was designated at Scarboro, Ontario, on September 26th, 1884, and undertook work in Demerara in June of the next year, under the direction of the Eastern Division of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

One can see the hand of God in the history of our Mission, for from the human standpoint the task has always been arduous. Several factors combine to make the work difficult. Climatic conditions and the prevalence of malaria and other tropical diseases have militated against the work of missionaries. The Rev. J. Gibson succumbed to yellow fever after a brief three years, and an amazingly high percentage of missionaries have either lived brief lives here, or returned home broken in health. The rapid spread and growth of the East Indian community meant many workers and many stations, large expenditure on buildings, and consequently lack of centralization and consolidation of the work. Not the least of the difficulties is and has been the poverty of most of our people, the majority of whom are labourers and dependent upon the sugar estates or rice farming for a living. The present world stabilization of sugar production means less employment and fewer estates. Essequibo, which at one time boasted nearly one hundred of the colony's best sugar estates, to-day has not one sugar plantation under cultivation. Grave economic conditions have resulted not only for our own people but for the entire colony. As this report is being compiled, His Majesty's Royal Commission is investigating economic and labour conditions in British Guiana and throughout the West Indies.

It should be remembered too, that our people are a transplanted race. The majority came from India with little religious background, to be exposed to the double influence of Western civilization and African superstition. The latter with its obeah and "jumbies" (or spirits) still prevails among the more ignorant people. As a result our church has to contend, not so much with open opposition, as with ignorance and that deadly indifference towards spiritual matters, which is rapidly becoming the church's most dangerous foe at home and abroad.

However, an indication of what our church has accomplished is shown by the esteem in which its name is held in the colony, particularly among the East Indian people. To them the title "Canadian Mission" stands for two things, the preaching of the Gospel, and the facilities for education afforded their children. Thus, in a colony where all but two of the primary schools are denominational, and where the churches pioneered at their own expense in education, the name of our home country linked with our church commands respect. A prominent Indian citizen, not of our denomination but one of our generous friends, stated in public evidence before the Royal Commission on February 13, 1939; "Were it not for the good work being done by the Canadian Mission in the education of East Indian children, there would have been a much higher percentage of illiteracy among them. That Mission had given every facility necessary and had really done noble work."

The Year in Review

In February the Rev. D. Marshall and family returned from furlough and Mr. Marshall again took over the Demerara field. He was re-elected to the office of Chair-

man of Mission Council for the year, Miss O. Davies remained as Secretary, and Mr. Rayner was elected as Treasurer.

The Rev. J. Dunn left for Canada on short leave in May, preceded by his wife and infant son. They returned in October, and during the interval Mr. Marshall, assisted by Miss Davies, supervised the Berbice field.

The Council wishes to record its appreciation of the gift of five thousand dollars which was received during the year from the Burns' Memorial Fund of the Eastern Division of the W.M.S. A beautiful church worthy of the capital city is under construction in Georgetown, the donation having been designated for this purpose.

We are grateful, too, for the new and spacious school building erected by the Directors of the Curtis Campbell Company on their Ogle Estate. It was ready for occupancy at the end of the year and fittingly opened at the beginning of the new term. As the year ended a much-needed enlarged school building was under construction at Better Hope. Another school which underwent extensive renovation during 1938 was the one situated at Bush Lot, West Coast, Berbice, which had become practically uninhabitable during rainy weather. The people themselves accepted a good deal of the responsibility and a generous share of the cost.

A most important step was a new venture in secondary education. For some years the only recognized high schools outside the city of Georgetown have been our two Berbice High Schools in New Amsterdam. At the close of the year, Council took over the Corentyne High School, a private venture which had proved unmanageable due to friction among the members of the educational league responsible for its coming into being just a few months previously. Members of the league approached Council through Mr. Marshall and the deliberations culminated in our Mission taking over the school. A new and substantial building is to be acquired by the payment of the outstanding debt, which is only a fraction of the assessed value of the property. The school was opened at the beginning of 1939 under the principalship of the Rev. J. Dunn.

The significance of the undertaking lies in the fact that the new school is situated in Rose Hall Village, on the Corentyne Coast, in the midst of the largest East Indian centre of population in the colony. Thus its influence will be primarily among the people to whom we minister, although children of all races, unable to board in New Amsterdam or Georgetown to attend school, will thus be given an opportunity for secondary education. With the negligible exception of a few private classes, the Corentyne High School will be the pioneer venture in rural secondary education in British Guiana.

In the church itself a measure of progress can be claimed. A feature of the year was the formation of committees and the holding of conferences. The local working committees elected representatives to the district committees, which elected members of the three field committees, which in turn sent on three representatives from each field to the Central Committee. This committee met in Georgetown in August to discuss the work and make suggestions from the layman's point of view.

A practical demonstration of greater interest on the part of the members during 1938 was an increase of 22 per cent in native offerings over the previous year. The increase came largely in generous harvest offerings at the end of the year, for it is then, when the rice crop has been harvested, that members and non-Christians alike contribute most freely to the church. In addition to the usual revenue received locally through offerings and contributions to the building fund, Council appealed to children and parents to contribute towards the cost of school supplies in places where these are not furnished by the Department of Education. More than 50 per cent of the cost of pupils' supplies was met in this way, and thus parents were encouraged to assume a small part of the responsibility for the education of their children.

Looking forward to the future of the church, the members of Council concentrated upon Sunday School work during the year. A Sunday School committee was formed, superintendents appointed in every field, and supplies imported from Presbyterian Publications. Teachers' meetings and anniversaries or rallies have been held in many districts, and prizes offered for attendance. As a result an increase in enrolment of 7

per cent, and an increase in Sunday School offerings of 23 per cent, over last year can be reported. Council is confident that much more may be done in this line of endeavour.

Two matters arose in the discussions of the Central Committee which have been long before Council, and as a result two requests are now before the General Board of Missions. The first is for the early formation of a Presbytery, as a step on the way to the ideal of an indigenous church. The second request is for the training and ordination to the ministry of East Indian young men. It is noteworthy that while from our schools there have gone forth young men to be trained abroad to take their places in other professions, and that although there are East Indians in the ministry of other denominations in this colony, our church is without a qualified native minister. Our people are quite concerned over the situation, and to remedy it would be to do much to hasten the growth of the church. While quite aware that there are obstacles to be overcome before these proposals can be carried out, Council has considered them carefully and made favourable recommendations to the Board, and at the same time has taken preparatory steps in each case.

We review the past with thanksgiving, in the knowledge that God in His mercy has blessed the efforts of all those who have shared in conveying the Gospel of His Son to our people in British Guiana. We face the future conscious of the great challenge which confronts our church, yet confident and undismayed, remembering St. Paul's counsel to Timothy—"For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind."

ANNUAL STATISTICS—CANADIAN PRESBYTERIAN MISSION IN BRITISH GUIANA, 1938

Evangelistic Work

Number of church buildings	24
Number of school buildings used for church	18
Number of other preaching stations	5
Number of preaching stations, (Total)	47
Number of field missionaries	3
Number of lady missionaries	2
Number of deaconesses	2
Number of Bible women	1
Number of catechists	20
Number of catechist-teachers	4
Number of communicant members	526
Number of new communicants added during the year	46
Number of adherents	632
Number of new preaching stations added	4
Number of baptisms: infant 86, adult 36	122
Number of congregations	40
Number of elders	14
Number of kirk sessions	3

Sunday School Work

Number of Sunday Schools	65
Number of new S.S. added during the year	4
Number of scholars enrolled	2,661
Number of scholars added during the year	180
Number of teachers	124
Number of Young People's Societies	5

Financial

Total native contribution for all purposes	$2,492.63
Per cent increase in native offerings:—	
Church	22%
Sunday School	23%

EDUCATIONAL WORK

Number of full-grant schools	13
Number of section 80 schools	15
Number of mission schools	1
Number of pupils enrolled:— East Indian boys, 2,684; other boys, 303; East Indian girls, 1,790; other girls, 270—Total	5,047
Number of teachers:— East Indian male, 70; East Indian female, 7; other male, 12; other female, 34—Total	123
Number of head teachers:—	29
East Indian, 26; others, 3—Total	2
Number of high schools	

Respectfully submitted,

DECOURCY H. RAYNER,
Secretary-Treasurer,
Canadian Mission Council in British Guiana

MISSIONARIES AT PRESENT LABOURING IN OUR FOREIGN FIELDS

BHIL FIELD:

Rev. D. E. McDonald Mrs. McDonald Miss M. H. Williamson * Miss Mary Sherrick, B.A. ** Miss M. F. Kennedy	Amkhut, via Dohad, Central India.
Rev. Clarence L. Wood Mrs. Wood	Alirajpur, via Dohad, Central India.
Rev. A. Earl Toombs Mrs. Toombs	Barwani, via Mhow, Central India.
Rev. Charles P. Young Mrs. Young	Mendha, Bhabra, via Dohad, Central India.
Dr. Wm. R. Quinn Mrs. Quinn Rev. F. C. Knox Mrs. Knox Miss Isabel McConnell, R.N. Miss Bessie MacMurchy, R.N. Miss Ellen I. Douglas	Jobat, via Dohad, Central India.
**** Rev. John Buchanan, M.D., D.D.	Mhow, Central India.

JHANSI MISSION:

Mr. Angus MacKay Mrs. MacKay Mr. John L. Cheshire Mrs. Cheshire * Miss Annie Lee Whatling Miss Irene Stringer Miss Lily A. Simpson Miss E. M. Magee Dr. Elizabeth Thurrott	Jhansi, U.P., India.
*** Rev. A. A. Lowther	1 Fenwick Ave., Toronto.
*** Mr. A. Hawtin Mrs. Hawtin	Brantford, R.R.6, Ontario.

FORMOSA:

Dr. Eugene Stevens Mrs. Stevens (in Canada)	Taihoku, Formosa, Japan.
Dr. Donald C. Bews Mrs. Bews Rev. H. A. MacMillan Mrs. MacMillan Miss Margaret Ramsay Miss Ethel M. Chisholm Miss Hildur Hermanson Miss Mildred Weir Miss Ruth Heighton	Taihoku, Formosa, Japan.
* Mr. George W. Mackay * Mrs. Mackay Rev. James Dickson Mrs. Dickson * Miss Ada E. Adams Miss Isobel Taylor Miss Alma M. Burdick Miss Dorothy C. Douglas	Tansui, Formosa, Japan.
Dr. G. Gushue-Taylor, F.R.C.S. Mrs. Gushue-Taylor	Happy Mount Leprosy Colony, Taiwan, Japan.

MANCHURIA:

Rev. Allan Reoch Mrs. Reoch Rev. Edward H. Johnson Mrs. Johnson	Szepingkai, Manchuria, via Japan.
Mrs. Langdon Gehman Miss Helena W. Gibbs	College of Chinese Studies, Peiping, China.
* Rev. William G. Davis * Mrs. Davis	Taonan, Manchuria, via Japan.

JAPAN, (AMONG KOREANS):

Rev. L. L. Young, D.D. Mrs. Young (in Canada) Miss Ethel MacDonald Miss Jean C. McLean Miss Mary Ellen Anderson	Nagamine Yama, Oishi Nada Ku, Kobe, Japan.
Rev. Malcolm MacKay Mrs. MacKay	Nagoya, Japan.

BRITISH GUIANA:

Rev. James Dunn Mrs. Dunn	New Amsterdam, British Guiana.
Miss Olwen Davies	North Road, New Amsterdam, British Guiana.
Rev. DeCourcy H. Rayner Mrs. Rayner	Box 288, Georgetown, British Guiana.
*** Rev. David Marshall Mrs. Marshall	c/o Church Offices, Toronto.

SOUTH CHINA:

Rev. Z. K. Zia	Christian Literature Society, Shanghai, China.

* On furlough. ** Under appointment. *** Resigned. **** Retired.

GRANTS PAID TO AUGMENTED CHARGES AND MISSION FIELDS DURING YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1938

	Grant Paid	
Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland:		
Grand Falls, Newfoundland	$ 603.54	
Lake Ainslie and Strathlorne	510.00	
North Sydney	400.00	
Orangedale	433.33	
Louisburg	262.50	
Mira Ferry and Catalone	300.00	
Marion Bridge	246.15	
Broughton, Birch Grove and Morien	90.00	
Neil's Harbour, Cape North and Ingonish	230.00	
		$ 3,075.52
Pictou:		
Barney's River	$ 400.00	
Blue Mountain	360.00	
East River and Springville	300.00	
East River, St. Mary's	150.00	
Little Harbour and Pictou Landing	88.45	
Merigomish	200.00	
Oxford and Pugwash	400.00	
River John	200.00	
Sherbrooke	290.75	
Tatamagouche	.....	
Wallace and Stake Road	300.00	
Thorburn and Sutherland's River	184.62	
Abercrombie	127.50	
Lochaber	180.00	
Moser's River and Harrigan Cove	200.00	
Mulgrave	192.50	
Pictou Island	.....	
Cariboo River	.....	
		3,573.82
Halifax and Lunenburg:		
Elmsdale and Nine Mile River	$ 400.00	
Halifax, Knox	392.00	
Musquodoboit Harbour and Dean	400.00	
New Dublin and Conquerall	540.00	
Springhill	246.05	
Windsor	400.00	
Kennetcook and Noel Road	127.50	
Parrsboro and Diligent River	96.00	
Mahone Bay	108.00	
Great Village	26.00	
		2,735.55
Saint John:		
Stanley	$ 41.00	
Fairville	333.00	
Port Elgin	135.00	
Sackville	540.00	
New Maryland and Hanwell	155.00	
Prince William	143.00	
Shediac	172.50	
Sussex	404.28	
Titusville	111.87	
Westfield	108.00	
Woodstock	200.00	
St. Stephen	150.00	
St. George	40.00	
		2,533.65

	Grant Paid	
Miramichi:		
Bathurst, Jacquet River and New Mills	$ 34.60	
Dalhousie	400.00	
Millerton	385.00	
Sunny Corner	734.91	
		$1,554.51
Prince Edward Island:		
Alberton	.....	
Borden, Tryon and Bradalbane	$ 400.00	
Brookfield	.....	
Malpeque, Keir Memorial	100.00	
Marshfield	114.23	
Tyne Valley and Richmond Bay		614.23
Total for the Synod of the Maritime Provinces		$14,087.28
Quebec:		
Danville and Asbestos	.....	
Hampden, Milan and Marsboro	$ 400.00	
Inverness and Adderley	530.00	
Kinnear's Mills and Reid's	475.00	
Melbourne and Flodden	400.00	
Metis and Leggatt's Point	300.00	
Lake Megantic	247.00	
Valcartier	142.50	
Jersey Mills and Marlow	.....	
Val d'Or	860.34	
Scotstown	75.00	
		3,429.84
Montreal:		
Cote des Neiges	$ 260.00	
Ephraim Scott	100.00	
Hemmingford and Covey Hill	300.00	
Kydd Memorial	525.00	
Livingstone	250.00	
St. Cuthbert's	400.00	
Beechridge	117.00	
Campbell Memorial	510.00	
Crystal Falls	172.50	
Mille Isles	150.00	
Riverview and Cote St. Paul	104.00	
Italian Mission	1,500.00	
Tyndale House	3,300.00	
Gordon Mission	221.00	
Chinese Work	499.67	
Valleyfield	381.25	
Welsh Church	200.00	
French Work	405.00	
" " Miss Woodrow Estate $1,510.00	.....	
		9,395.42
Glengarry:		
St. Elmo	$228.85	
Woodlands	400.00	
Moose Creek	246.15	
Martintown and Williamstown	262.50	
		1,137.50

		Grant Paid	
OTTAWA:			
Buckingham and Thurso		$540.00	
Kinburn, Pakenham and Torbolton		190.35	
Richmond and Stittsville		362.50	
Vernon		262.50	
Westboro and Gloucester		280.00	
Bristol and Starks		346.90	
Kars and Manotick		196.12	
			$2,178.37
LANARK AND RENFREW:			
Cobden, Wolftown and Scotland		$312.50	
Alice and Petawawa		52.50	
Beachburg and West Meath		115.50	
Braeside and White Lake		246.00	
Douglas and Scotch Bush, Micksburg and Lake Dore		291.00	
Lockwinnoch and Stewartville		312.50	
Almonte		350.00	
Arnprior		350.00	
			2,030.00
BROCKVILLE:			
Westport and Newboro		$611.66	
Stone's Corners, Fairfield and Merrickville		80.00	
South Mountain and Mountain Station		237.50	
			929.16
Total for the Synod of Montreal and Ottawa			$19,100.29
KINGSTON:			
Amherst Island		$500.00	
Deseronto, Camden East, etc		425.00	
Foxboro and Fuller		300.00	
Wilton, Glenvale and Sunbury		519.22	
			1,744.22
PETERBOROUGH:			
Bowmanville		200.00	
Lakefield, Lakevale, etc		253.85	
Harvey		214.50	
Brighton		260.00	
			928.35
LINDSAY:			
Bobcaygeon		$200.00	
Glenarm		150.00	
Leaskdale		150.00	
Cannington		.....	
			500.00
TORONTO:			
Dale		$ 540.00	
Fairbank		300.00	
Mount Dennis		271.25	
Long Branch and Dixie		280.00	
Macpherson		400.00	
Mimico and Islington		175.00	
Sutton and Mount Pleasant		212.20	
St. Matthew's, Toronto		130.00	
Aurora		161.56	
Chinese Y.M.C.I.		225.00	
Chinese Work	(Salary and rent)	1,840.00	
Jewish Work	(Salaries and expenses)	3,790.00	
Redemptive Home	(Salaries)	1,500.00	
Ukrainian Work, Toronto	(Salary and rent)	1,740.00	
" " Oshawa	(Salary and rent)	1,640.00	
Hungarian Work, Toronto	(Salary and rent)	1,740.00	
			14,945.01

		Grant Paid	
ORANGEVILLE:			
Orangeville and Waldemar		$225.00	
Feversham and Singhampton		163.00	
Dundalk and Ventry		300.00	
			$688.00
BARRIE:			
Esson, Willis and Uptergrove		$150.00	
Guthrie, St. Andrew's and Central		135.00	
Windermere and Vankoughnet		108.00	
Angus and Cookstown		207.68	
Penetanguishene		109.61	
			710.29
NORTH BAY AND TEMISKAMING:			
Kirkland Lake	(Salary and rent)	$2,300.00	
Englehart		334.80	
Cochrane		490.00	
Hunter's Point		85.00	
Magnetawan		520.00	
Sundridge		179.50	
Burk's Falls		279.50	
Huntsville		.....	
			4,188.80
ALGOMA:			
Bar River		$ 45.00	
Webbwood and Massey		303.00	
Hawk Junction		449.08	
			797.08
SAUGEEN:			
Rothsay		$225.00	
			225.00
GUELPH:			
Rockwood and Eden Mills		$162.50	162.50
Total for the Synod of Toronto and Kingston			$24,889.25
HAMILTON:			
Grimsby and Stoney Creek		$ 150.00	
Niagara-on-the-Lake		400.00	
St. David's, Hamilton		250.00	
Niagara Falls North, and Stamford		228.85	
St. Enoch's, Hamilton		318.00	
Chalmer's, Hamilton		300.00	
Carluke and Binbrook		300.00	
Pelham, Louth and Fenwick	(Salaries)	75.00	
Hungarian Work, Hamilton	(Salaries)	1,035.00	
" " Welland		260.00	
Italian Work, Hamilton		180.00	
Neighborhood House, Hamilton	(Salaries and expenses)	2,570.00	
			6,066.85
PARIS:			
Brantford (Knox) Mount Pleasant and St. George		$400.00	
Norwich and Bookton		200.00	
Tillsonburg and Windham Centre		250.00	
			850.00
LONDON:			
Ilderton and Bethel		$300.00	
Knollwood Park		400.00	
South Nissouri and Kintore		364.88	
Kintyre and Wardsville		225.00	
Appin and Melbourne		200.00	
			1,489.88

		Grant Paid	
CHATHAM:			
Duart and Turin		$200.00	
Puce and Essex		100.00	
Hungarian Work, Windsor	(Salary and rent)	1,279.92	$1,579.92
SARNIA:			
Arkona, Thedford and Warwick		$100.00	
Point Edward		225.00	
Nairn and Beechwood		65.36	390.36
STRATFORD:			
Monkton		$300.00	300.00
HURON:			
Clinton and Bayfield		$150.00	
Exeter		150.00	300.00
BRUCE:			
Glamis		$104.00	104.00
Total for the Synod of Hamilton and London			$11,081.01
SUPERIOR:			
West Fort William		$390.00	
Geraldton		645.00	
Kenora		487.50	1,522.50
WINNIPEG:			
Calvin, Winnipeg		$ 487.50	
Norwood		540.00	
St. James, Winnipeg		540.00	
Stonewall		450.00	
East Selkirk		1,086.50	
Morden		382.50	
Roland		540.00	
Lockport		600.00	
Elmwood		48.00	4,674.50
BRANDON:			
Flin Flon		$ 17.00	
Carberry and Wellwood		225.00	
Melita, Elva and Hartney		540.00	
Portage la Prairie		360.00	
St. Andrew's and Blyth		400.00	
The Pas		871.00	
Bellafield and Hilton		65.00	
Cranberry Portage		450.89	
Holmfield		115.00	
Minnedosa		218.00	
Winnipegosis		127.50	
Argyle, Lizard Point Reserve and Rossburn		1,026.30	
Elphinstone and Okanais		630.00	
Rolling River		1,080.00	
Birdtail Reserve		52.00	
Lenore and Breadalbane		100.00	6,277.69
Total for the Synod of Manitoba			$12,474.69

		Grant Paid	
REGINA:			
Broadview		.....	
Moosomin and Whitewood		.....	
Arlington Beach		$ 900.00	
Estevan		345.00	
Indian Head and Qu'Appelle		590.00	
Regina, North Side		377.50	
Stoughton and Arcola		580.00	
Dunleath and Stornoway		.....	
Bekevar, Hungarian		1,200.00	
High Bluff		65.00	$4,057.50
MOOSE JAW:			
Assiniboia		$780.00	
Briercrest		390.50	
Swift Current		661.25	
Moose Jaw, Knox and St. Paul's		95.00	
Yellowstone		235.60	
Pambrun		180.00	
Weyburn		75.00	2,417.35
PRINCE ALBERT:			
Carragana		$524.00	
Foxford (Meath Park)		850.00	
Foxford (Smeaton)		525.00	
Kinistino		62.50	
Mistawasis Reserve		850.00	
Tisdale		436.13	
Sylvania		225.00	3,472.63
SASKATOON:			
Parkview		$ 615.00	
Rosetown		646.00	
Wilkie		653.00	
Biggar		915.00	
Coleville, Dewar Lake		1,405.10	
Dinsmore		223.75	
Mayfair and Thornton		397.50	
Paynton		.....	
North Battleford		453.33	
Meadow Lake		100.00	5,408.68
Total for the Synod of Saskatchewan			$15,356.16
PEACE RIVER:			
Riverside		$ 355.35	
Fort Saint John		.....	
Brownvale	(Salary and rent)	1,500.00	
Grande Prairie		1,824.99	
Wanham		1,389.45	
Dixonville		995.80	
Whitelaw		320.00	6,385.59

	Grant Paid	
EDMONTON:		
Chauvin	$495.00	
Edmonton, St. Andrew's	300.00	
Lloydminster	540.00	
Vegreville and Ranfurly	224.00	
Wainwright	450.00	
Westmount	343.00	
Earlie and Kinnaird	494.00	
Killam	293.00	
Edmonton, Rupert Street	234.00	
Vermilion	572.00	
Edmonton, Strathcona	400.00	
		$4,345.00
RED DEER:		
Carstairs	$540.00	
Innisfail	210.00	
Benalto and Eckville	520.00	
Ewing and Wall Lake	286.00	
Rocky Mountain House	520.00	
Willowdale and Valley Centre	270.00	
Sylvan Lake	254.00	
Lousana	123.50	
		2,723.50
CALGARY:		
Banff	$400.00	
High River and Cayley	284.65	
North Hill	540.00	
Three Hills	370.50	
Bassano	494.00	
Hungarian Work	1,810.79	
		3,899.94
MACLEOD:		
Macleod	$300.00	
Granum and Jumbo Valley	175.50	
		475.50
Total for the Synod of Alberta		$17,829.53
KOOTENAY:		
Creston	$363.60	
Kimberley	390.00	
Nelson	342.00	
Trail	520.00	
New Denver	302.50	
		1,918.10
WESTMINSTER:		
Stewart	$ 450.00	
Edmonds, Gordon	300.00	
Kamloops	100.00	
West Point Grey	175.00	
Sapperton, Knox	225.00	
St. Andrew's, North Vancouver	300.00	
St. Stephen's, North Vancouver	450.00	
Vancouver Heights	475.00	
Armstrong, Vernon	468.00	
Buchanan	519.50	

WESTMINSTER—*Continued*	Grant Paid	
Hammond and Haney	479.50	
Mount Lehman and Bradner	468.00	
Murrayville and Coghlan	416.00	
Pentieton	481.00	
St. Aidan's	337.50	
Strawberry Hill and Newton	460.80	
St. Columba and Livingstone	459.00	
Chinese Work, Vancouver	1,440.00	
St. Stephen's, New Westminster	280.00	
Hunter, Knox Mission and South Hill	351.00	
Salmon Arm and Canoe	531.00	
Cloverdale	65.00	
Vancouver, St. Paul's	87.50	
		$9,318.80
VICTORIA:		
Gorge and Erskine	475.00	
Duncan	450.00	
Nanaimo	225.00	
Port Alberni	436.00	
Sooke	400.00	
Chinese Work, Victoria	1,440.00	
		3,426.00
Total for the Synod of British Columbia		$14,662.90

SUMMARY BY SYNODS

Maritime Provinces	$14,087.28
Montreal and Ottawa	19,100.29
Toronto and Kingston	24,889.25
Hamilton and London	11,081.01
Manitoba	12,474.69
Saskatchewan	15,356.16
Alberta	17,829.53
British Columbia	14,662.90
Grand Total	$129,481.11

REPORT OF WORK OF THE WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY (E.D.)

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The last annual Report of the Women's Missionary Society (E.D.) shows very little change in statistics from that of several previous years. What little it does show is, unfortunately, a slight falling-off in funds and in membership.

For this we cannot apologize or explain. Why, when the Christian Church holds out the only hope of permanent happiness and peace, and the pitiful confusion in the world should awaken the church to greater effort, why, then of all times a missionary society should appear to weaken is something of a mystery. But the "weakening" may be more apparent than real and we refuse to be discouraged. We know that our work is along the line of God's will and we know that we are organized in obedience to His command so for this year we have chosen the slogan,

"Lead on O King eternal,
We follow, not with fears."

The year has brought some changes. The society deeply regrets the removal of Mrs. Geo. Ross to Montreal, thus making it necessary for her to resign as president of the Eastern Division. We have lost Miss Gladys Murphy as a worker in Japan owing to her marriage but we stand ready to replace her as soon as possible after conditions in that country make it advisable to do so. Another change is that of the editorship of *The Presbyterian Message*. Owing to ill-health Mrs. Wm. Macnabb has resigned after more than thirty years of faithful and efficient service. The W.M.S. counts among her riches many memories of such long and faithful service. Miss Ethel Shaw, of Saint John, has accepted the position of editor and *The Presbyterian Message* is now printed in Saint John. In common with all our Church we have sincerely mourned the passing of the Moderator, Rev. Dr. MacOdrum. During the Society's year we have been greatly indebted to the courtesy of the Western Division of the W.M.S. for making it possible for us to have within several Presbyterials Dr. Thurrott, on furlough from India. Her addresses were informative and helpful.

In regard to our Foreign Mission Work.—In the Mission in Japan we find the most important work right now is the study of the language. They find it takes a great deal of their time, but they are persevering. Miss McDonald can now conduct a service in Japanese. The Missionaries are also trying to get the churches to assume more responsibility so that the Missionary Funds they have could be used where the need is greater. Our Eastern Division has sent $100.00 to this field for repair to flood damage.

We are sorry to report for British Guiana that we have Miss Storey's resignation. It has not yet been submitted to the W.M.S. (E.D.) Board. Miss Storey came home on account of ill-health, hoping she would soon be better, but she finds she is still very miserable indeed. We have our two native deaconesses still carrying on and doing a splendid work. They do not confine themselves to one place but travel around visiting the people and we granted them extra money, to pay for this work. We will soon lose Miss Janki who is to be married. We are very sorry indeed to see Mr. Marshall leaving the Mission and feel that he did a splendid work there. The Burns Memorial Church to which our Society has contributed $5,000.00, at Georgetown, is nearing completion and is the finest building they have on the field. The opening, to which the natives are looking forward, will take place the first of April. Mr. Marshall in writing recently says "the work here is at a very important stage of its development,

everything depends on how it is conducted during the next few years." He adds "with proper guidance I see a great future for our Church in British Guiana."

As to the policy of our work, we are carrying on as formerly with the exception of one change in connection with Home Missions. It has been considered unwise, under present conditions, to keep the School Residence in New Carlisle, Que., open as a Presbyterian institution. The building is now rented to the New Carlisle School Board.

Very careful study has been given to the question of what is the greatest need in the Home Mission work in the Maritimes. It still appears to be that in the weak charges and among scattered families claiming connection with our church. To help in this problem the W.M.S. has increased the number of travelling deaconesses in two Presbyteries at the request of their H.M. Committees. One of these deaconesses has been useful in the work on the Gaspé Coast because of her ability to speak to the people in their native language. In Cape Breton, another has added to her popularity by speaking and singing in Gaelic.

In some localities there is still a certain prejudice against deaconess work—perhaps I should better say a misunderstanding of it—but the outlook is mainly encouraging. The co-operation of ministers and students with our deaconesses is helping to a better understanding, showing the training of deaconesses to be a regular branch of the Church policy.

There is room for great expansion of deaconess work in the Maritime Provinces.

The statistics are as follows:

Presbyterials	8
Auxiliaries	207
Membership	3,632
Average Attendance	1,822
Life memberships added	31
Home Helpers	521
"Messages" taken	2,439
Boxes sent	143

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Receipts

Balance, previous year, Foreign Missions	$8,785.47	
Home Missions	6,019.13	
		$14,804.60
	$15,939.10	
Presbyterial givings	30.30	
Offerings, Annual meetings	143.43	
Bank Interest	538.00	
Interest on Burns Memorial Fund		$16,650.83
Total Receipts		$31,455.43

Disbursements

	$8,810.00	
Foreign Missions	5,659.90	
Home Missions	1,283.61	
General Expenses		$15,753.51
Balance for current year, Foreign Missions	$9,333.03	
Home Missions	6,368.89	
		$15,701.92
		$31,455.43

Respectfully Submitted,

(Mrs. W. C.) E. Cameron Elliott,
(Acting President).

REPORT OF THE WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY (W.D.)

The Council Executive of the Women's Missionary Society (W.D.) respectfully submits the following report of its work for 1938.

ORGANIZATION

The Women's Missionary Society (W.D.) is made up of a Council with a stated membership from each province, a Council Executive of 35 members meeting weekly, 6 Provincial Societies, 41 Presbyterials, 729 Auxiliaries, 269 Young Women's Groups, 401 Girls' Organizations, 552 Mission Bands, 60 Associate Societies, 8,203 Home Helpers. The total membership stands at 45,850. A Field Secretary gave her time to work among the branches of the Society, for part of the year two Young Women's Travelling Secretaries, and later one, to the work in the Young Women's Auxiliaries; while a Girls' Work Secretary divided her time between the Board of Sabbath Schools and the Women's Missionary Society.

FINANCES

The estimate for 1938 was $151,000.

RECEIPTS

Provincial Societies	$143,773.26
Individual Subscriptions and Refunds	1,865.08
Ewart Trust Fund for Education of Candidate for India	407.20
Transferred from Formosa Trust Fund for Organization Year Expenses	250.00
Government Grants for Indian Schools	40,557.60
	$186,853.14
Of the above receipts the Government Grants for Indian Schools and the amount transferred from Formosa Trust Fund are not available for general estimates	40,807.60
Receipts for estimates	$146,045.54
Disbursements for 1938	$178,466.07
Less Government Grants for Indian Schools	36,753.06
	$141,713.01
Receipts in excess of Expenditures	$4,332.53

Provincial givings increased by $1,644.08 over last year, and the year closed with the receipts $4,332.53 in excess of expenditures and with all bills paid.

Expenditures in 1938 were $3,743 less than in 1937, which is accounted for by the fact that all our work in Vegreville and New Liskeard was closed, while Rocky Mountain House Hospital was open only part of the year.

The estimate for 1939 is $145,000, divided as follows:

National Missions	
Hospitals	$7,450.00
Presbyterian Residences	2,510.00
Indian Schools (exclusive of Government Grants)	14,203.00
Chinese Work in Canada	9,260.00
Welcome and Welfare and Deaconesses	17,272.50
Supplies	1,200.00

Library		180.00
Lantern Slides		100.00
Total of National Missions		$52,175.50
Overseas Missions		
Bhil Field, India		$19,259.00
Jhansi Field, India		13,515.00
Ludhiana Medical College		50.00
St. Christopher's Training College		100.00
Formosa	$16,850.00	
Amount to be taken from Trust Fund	5,000.00	11,850.00
Manchuria and South China		3,850.00
Koreans in Japan		9,090.00
British Guiana		1,315.00
Total of Overseas Missions		$59,029.00

The balance of the estimate is divided among the Departments of Publications, Organization, Student, Candidate, New Missionaries, Administration, Pensions, Grant to Missionary and Deaconess Training Home, and to the Canadian School of Missions.

STATEMENT OF TRUST FUNDS DECEMBER 31ST, 1938

Special Retiring Fund for Missionaries	$37,613.31
Legacy Fund	11,759.06
Sustaining Fund	29,219.36
Formosa Trust Fund	18,594.14
Special Fund	9,447.88

NATIONAL MISSION WORK

HOSPITALS

Since our last report the Rolland M. Boswell Hospital at Vegreville, Alberta, has been closed, after years of service to the community. It was a missionary venture to fill a need which no longer exists, as there are other well-equipped hospitals in Vegreville and the vicinity.

Canora, Sask.—The Hugh Waddell Memorial Hospital reports 1,269 patients admitted, 8 more than in 1937. There were 366 operations and 185 maternity cases. X-rays numbered 739. The cost per day per patient was $2.19, the lowest to date. No infections occurred in the hospital. All services have had a very busy year and a satisfactory report is presented.

Rocky Mountain House, Alta.—The Rocky Mountain House Hospital, an up-to-date ten-bed hospital, was opened on July 14th last and has been very busy. We have an efficient staff of nurses and many serious cases have been treated successfully. Admissions for the half year were 210. The cost per day per patient was $3.64. We receive a grant from the Government of 45 cents per day per patient. The Hospital Aid has rendered valuable assistance, particularly before and during the opening of the hospital.

PRESBYTERIAN RESIDENCES

The reports from our Residences show splendid work done and finances in a very satisfactory condition. The Residence at Vegreville was closed in June 1938, as it was felt that it had served its purpose and was no longer necessary in that district. The Saskatoon Residence was filled to capacity. It had a very satisfactory year, with many activities, and very inspiring conferences were held during the Summer School term. Mrs. Gouldthorpe returned in September to her duties as Superintendent at Huntingdon, Quebec, after a year's leave of absence. Fourteen boys and twelve girls have been enrolled; good work has been done by the students, and the report shows a very successful year.

INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOLS

From all three schools under the Women's Missionary Society—Kenora, Birtle, and Mistawasis—come reports of good work well done. From all three, too, comes the expression of regret that so little is being done to follow up on the reserves the work done in the schools. Boys and girls of sixteen to eighteen years are too young to be left without supervision when they return to conditions which exist on some of the reserves from which they come. There is urgent need for a deaconess and also a nurse on these reserves. There is a great opening for more missionary work among the Indians of Canada. Any graduates of our schools who have been given special training are proving worthy of the efforts made to help them. Other Churches are extending their Indian work, and our Church must do its share.

CHINESE IN CANADA

Our Chinese people have set an example this year for the whole Church to follow. They are so anxious to help others, and they met their allocations before the end of the year, notwithstanding the increasing demands from their war-ridden homeland. We have organized missions in four cities, and our work includes Sunday Schools, Kindergartens, Mission Bands, Canadian Girls in Training, Young People's Societies, women's meetings, and Boy Scouts. In Saskatchewan, Christian literature is sent out regularly, and in Ottawa a consecrated woman does wonderful work for our Women's Missionary Society. The work in every centre is most encouraging. For example, eight of one family were baptized at one time, having been brought into contact with our work through the Kindergarten and women's classes; the mother is now President of our Chinese Women's Missionary Society. Such facts as these make us thank God and take courage.

WELCOME AND WELFARE

The work of welcoming newcomers to our country, visiting the sick and lonely in our churches, and reporting the removals from one congregation to another has been faithfully carried on during 1938. Every phase of this work shows increased interest. There have been 629 Welcome and Welfare Secretaries, who report 24,008 visits made, 2,574 letters written, 534 removals reported, and 1,004 persons helped to find their place in the congregations.

Miss Iris Munro, our part-time port worker at Montreal, had a very busy season in 1938. She met 98 boats and 39 trains, received from the ports 2,251 names, and forwarded 1,158 names to our various churches through the Welcome and Welfare Department. Appreciation of the work is found in a letter received from a visitor to Canada, which says: "I am so grateful for the help of Miss Munro, your port worker in Montreal."

DEACONESS DEPARTMENT

The Deaconess Department was encouraged during the past year by the many letters received from Presbyteries expressing appreciation of the work being done by our deaconesses. We are grateful for all such letters, for through them we know our workers are serving our Church with satisfaction.

Many of our fourteen deaconesses are working on the same fields as last year, while changes have had to be made on other fields. Miss Iris Munro, working under the direction of the Presbytery of Montreal, ably assisted the minister of St. Cuthbert's Church, Hochelaga, to make a survey of the district and visit the families of the congregation, with the result that at the end of the year the congregation had taken on new life and the various organizations were continuing with new zeal. In Kirkland Lake, Miss Lily Macarthur has been a co-partner with Rev. C. J. MacKay in the establishment of a Presbyterian congregation. There were difficulties to overcome and problems to solve, but to-day there is an enthusiastic congregation with its various organizations formed on a sound Christian basis worshipping in a fine new church, completely furnished and dedicated to the worship of Almighty God. From the Presbytery of Winnipeg has come a very fine tribute to Miss Hazel Macdonald's work in the Elmwood congregation, which is without a minister. During the year Miss Macdonald has

been doing the congregational work, assisted when possible at the Sunday services by the Presbyterian ministers of the city. The congregation is now in good financial standing and its young people are organized and working actively. Miss Macdonald attributes any success attained to the prayer service held each week. At Shaughnessy, in Macleod Presbytery, Miss Frieda Matthews conducts Sunday services and does all other congregational work as well as conducting Sunday Schools at Commerce and Rolling Hill. In Hamilton, Saskatoon, Regina, and Vancouver our deaconesses, Miss Allan, Miss Booth, Miss Ross, and Miss Scott, serve the Church in many ways, supervising Sunday Schools, visiting homes and hospitals, organizing and conducting Mission Bands, and giving leadership in young people's work.

Following a request from Red Deer Presbytery for a deaconess, Miss Mary Todd has recently gone to serve on the Willowdale field, which comprises seven points. She conducts three services one Sunday and four the next, giving Willowdale and Valley Centre services every Sunday and the others services on alternate Sundays. In the Peace River district three new workers were sent in November owing to the resignations of Miss Margaret Grigor, Miss Helen Madill and Miss Gertrude Rollo. The two former were leaving to be married and the latter to train for a nurse. Miss Rosetta Moors, a graduate deaconess, is now in Prestville, while Miss Georgina Roy, a nurse deaconess, is stationed at Last Lake, and Miss Huinink is under a six-months' appointment at Brownvale. For the first time a deaconess from our Society has served under the Presbytery of Toronto. For six months Miss Fay McTavish assisted in the building up of a new congregation in the northern part of the city, now known as the Melrose Park congregation.

Through its representatives our Society is endeavouring to strengthen the "chain of service" of our beloved Church, so that through her the banner of Christ shall be lifted up throughout our vast Dominion.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT

The Supply Department attempted, as in previous years, to meet the requirements of the various departments of national work. Hospital supplies were sent to our hospitals at Canora, Saskatchewan, and Vegreville and Rocky Mountain House, Alberta, also clothing and quilts for needy families. Bedding and linen, and, where needed, children's clothing, were provided for the Residences at Huntingdon, Quebec, and Vegreville, Alberta, and supplies, including outfits for boys and girls in residence, for the Indian Schools at Birtle, Manitoba, and Cecilia Jeffrey, Kenora, Ontario, as well as clothing for children at the Mistawasis, Saskatchewan, Day School. Deaconesses on our various fields were supplied with bales of clothing, quilts, and Christmas gifts to distribute in needy homes.

On the recommendation of the synodical missionaries, bales of clothing, quilts, and Christmas gifts were shipped to mission fields and Indian Reserves in Canada: Quebec 1; Ontario 11; Manitoba 11; Saskatchewan 33; Alberta 14; British Columbia 1.

The value of supplies is estimated at $25,266.06 plus $1,083.55 cash for boots for children in Indian Schools. The sum of $1,179.20 was expended on furnishings and additional supplies.

The Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Railways again granted free transportation on bales of second-hand clothing for distribution in the West.

OVERSEAS MISSION WORK

BRITISH GUIANA

Miss Olwen Davies, Principal of the Berbice Girls' High School at New Amsterdam, reports that there are fifty-seven girls enrolled in the school, eleven more than in the previous year, and that the results of the Junior and Senior Cambridge examinations were of a very high standard. Improvements were made to the school building, the rooms being repainted and modern furniture and other equipment installed.

In addition to her school duties, Miss Davies' activities are many and varied. As a Sunday School Superintendent of the Berbice field, she has visited and conducted

services at several country Sunday Schools and churches throughout the district. An increase in Sunday School attendance and offerings has resulted.

Visits to the homes, weekly British Guiana Girls in Training classes, camps, concerts, picnics, and an educational tour to Georgetown for the High School students, have been undertaken by Miss Davies with a view to contributing abundantly to the upbuilding of an intelligent, happy, Christian girlhood and womanhood in British Guiana.

JAPAN-KOREAN WORK

Our workers among the Koreans, and the Korean people, are now faced with the difficult task of learning the national language. Since September Miss MacLean has been studying in Tokyo, where there are 8,000 Korean students. There are 41 Auxiliaries of the Women's Missionary Society, with a membership of 996. The 23 Auxiliaries of the Kansai Presbyterial contributed last year 3,040 yen ($1,013) for the extension of the work. In the six kindergartens, or nursery schools, 215 are enrolled; the Kobe school was chosen as one of the six best in the country for its exhibit of handwork. More than ninety children received diplomas and graduated into the Japanese primary schools. The Korean nurse, besides bringing comfort and cheer to the sick, has conducted classes in six centres in the southern part of the field. It is hoped that the work may soon be extended, a Korean doctor employed, and a medical clinic opened in the city of Osaka with its 200,000 Koreans. Pastors and Biblewomen continue their good work of preaching, teaching, and visiting. The scattered groups in the far north are without a worker at present, and it is recommended that an ordained pastor and his wife be sent there as soon as funds permit.

MANCHURIA AND SOUTH CHINA

In August our Society sent out two new missionaries to Manchuria, Mrs. Langdon Gehman of Galt and Miss Helena W. Gibbs of Simcoe. At present they are at the College of Chinese Studies in Peking. Our grants of $400 for Biblewomen and $100 for Christian Literature in Manchuria were given as usual.

The grant of $100 was sent to the Christian Literature Society of Shanghai, many of whose workers have found a great "open door" among the refugees and wounded soldiers.

Our $1,000 grant to the Church of Christ in China was used in the evangelistic work in South China so much needed at the present time.

NORTH FORMOSA

Nine missionaries on the staff are appointed by the Women's Missionary Society—Miss Chisholm, Miss Hermanson, and Miss Weir, nurses; Miss Burdick, Miss Douglas, teachers; Miss Adams, kindergarten specialist; Miss Taylor, music teacher; and Miss Ramsay and Miss Heighton, evangelists.

All make evangelism the foundation of their service. At present, systematic courses of Bible study are being introduced, similar to that used by the Korean Church, as outlined in the report presented by Miss Adams and Miss Douglas on their return from a survey of missionary methods used in Korea and Japan. Besides the many educational benefits received, much good has come from Ministers' Wives Conferences, Youth Conferences, etc., and from Daily Vacation Bible Schools and Bible Memory Classes. A new model demonstration kindergarten has been established, a very progressive step. Notwithstanding the restrictions placed on them through the tense national situation, the missionaries have carried on faithfully and we would acknowledge with gratitude the close co-operation that exists between the missionaries of the Women's Missionary Society and the wives of missionaries on the field.

INDIA

Dr. Quinn's skill in medicine and surgery and the capability of the nursing staff under Miss McConnell in addition to missionary zeal have won for the Jobat Hospital a high place in the interest and esteem of officials of the state, both Indian and English, and brought in an ever increasing number of patients. Training of nurses and Biblewomen is carried on in the Mary Broadbent Home and some young women who educationally are not equipped to take full training receive a very useful practical course. Forty-four babies were born in the Louise Henderson Maternity ward in 1938 without loss of life of mother or child.

Work in the Amkhut School, in the Jobat kindergarten, and in village schools progressed under the supervision of Miss Douglas and Miss Sherrick, with Miss Williamson in charge of non-academic work and the Abey Memorial Home, where there are twelve children.

Miss E. M. Magee assumes full responsibility of the Helen Macdonald School when Miss Stringer is on furlough. About 300 girls are enrolled, of whom 106 are in the hostel. Government recognition is extended to the eighth grade. A senior pupil won distinction in mathematics and a four-year scholarship. Teachers and senior pupils engage in Sunday School and evangelistic work in Jhansi and nearby villages. On account of less illness Miss Simpson and Nurse Miriam were able to devote more time to evangelistic work and to supervise weekly in Babina while Dr. Thurrott was on furlough. Miss Whatling and Sophie-bai (nurse) find the little Women's Missionary Society church a great blessing and evangelistic and medical work are carried on together with great success.

Both our fields (Jhansi and the Bhil) are asking for two new workers, an evangelist and a nurse evangelist, the great need being urgently stressed.

STUDENT DEPARTMENT

A better understanding of opportunities and methods and greater co-operation from local congregations are reported by many Student Secretaries throughout the Society. They try to provide a welcome for all young Presbyterians who, away from home, are seeking education and training. Increased missionary interest among college students promises to result from the presence at the Madras Conference of the Rev. Philip E. Beattie, Secretary of the Missionary Education Council, on which the Council Executive is represented. Financial help has again been given to two Chinese girls completing their courses, one at Columbia University, the other at University College, Toronto.

CANDIDATES

Fifty-eight applications came into the department in the past eleven months.

Eleven appointments and one re-appointment were made to National work since May 1st, 1938. These were: Miss Irene Hart, Norway House, Manitoba, appointed to the position of supervisor in the Cecilia Jeffrey Indian Residential School, Kenora, Ontario; Miss Grace Elizabeth Findlay, teacher, Briercrest, Saskatchewan, to the teaching staff of the Cecilia Jeffrey School; Miss Fay F. McTavish, deaconess, R.R. 1, Stratford, to six months of survey work in North Toronto; Miss Georgina McLeod Roy, nurse deaconess, Westville, Nova Scotia, to service at Last Lake, Alberta; Miss Mary E. Todd and Mr. Thorbur Ingaldson, teachers, of Winnipeg, to the teaching staff of the Indian Residential School, Birtle, Manitoba; Miss Frances G. Lockhart, Birtle, to another year as Girls' Matron in the Birtle School; Miss Margaret Huinink, Edmonton, Alberta, to deaconess work in Brownvale, Alberta; Miss Rosetta Moors, deaconess, Edmonton, Alberta, to deaconess work in Prestville, Alberta; Mrs. G. M. Gillespie, deaconess, Toronto, to six months of service in North Toronto; Miss Mary D. Lyons, nurse, Terra Cotta, Ontario, as Superintendent of the Nursing Home in Weirdale, Saskatchewan, and Miss Isobel H. Sym, nurse, Perth, Ontario, as assisting nurse in the Weirdale Nursing Home.

One appointment was made to Overseas work. With three years of missionary preparation—two in the Missionary and Deaconess Training Home, Toronto, and one year in the Kennedy School of Missions, Hartford, Connecticut—Miss Margaret Fotheringham Kennedy goes as an evangelist to the Bhil people, India.

PUBLICATIONS

Through the *Glad Tidings* an endeavour is made to keep the members informed about the missionary work of the Church, especially that part of it for which the Women's Missionary Society is responsible, and, in some measure, about some aspects

of the larger field of world missions. For 1938 the number of paid subscriptions was 18,938; besides, the magazine was sent to all overseas missionaries and workers in Canada, and to a good many women here and there through the provinces who have little other contact with our Church.

During the year the Publications Department issued the following: *My Mother* by Ruth Buchanan; *The Political Significance of Missions*, Dr. Stuart Parker's address to the Ontario Provincial Society; and, through the Young Women's Department, *Services of Worship*. New free leaflets included *Windows: Please Look In* (for Home Helpers); *A Prayer Wall; A Guide for Auxiliary Officers* (revised); and *The Mission Band Leader* (revised). A book list was prepared for distribution.

LANTERN SLIDES

During the year no new sets were issued, but the set known as "Pioneer Work in the New North" was revised and thirty new slides were added. The set, "India, Land of Light and Shadow", was brought up to date by the rewriting of the lecturette. Reports from the provinces show a continued interest in Lantern Slides. The total showings for the year were 329 as against 318 last year. It was interesting to note the increased use being made of the slides by young people's organizations.

LIBRARY

During the year 1938 deep interest was again shown in the Library Department's work of distributing reading matter to people living in outlying places and to others for whom a supply of good reading is not available. Lumber camps and city institutions also were supplied with books and magazines. Ten pulpit Bibles were sent to small Western churches and Bibles and hymn books to mission fields and to Indian Reserves. Libraries were opened at Sowerby, Hawk Junction, and Bar River in Ontario, at Arbutus in Alberta, and at Val d'Or in Quebec. Boxes of Christmas cards were sent to Manchuria, Formosa, and British Guiana.

STAFF

Workers on the Women's Missionary Society Staff in 1938: Overseas Missionaries 26; National Workers 55; Field Secretaries 4; Office Staff 7.

GENERAL SUMMARY

Provincial Societies	6
Presbyterials	41
Auxiliaries	729
Young Women's Groups	269
Girls' Organizations	401
Mission Bands	552
Associate Societies	60
Total Number of Branches	2,011
Life Members	505
Junior Members and Seals	603
Honorary Members	20
In Memoriam Subscriptions	48
Subscriptions to *Glad Tidings*	18,938
Value of Literature sold	$3,921.79
Membership in Auxiliaries	16,231
Membership in Young Women's Groups	5,141
Membership in Girls' Organizations	4,774
Membership in Mission Bands	11,501
Home Helper Members	8,203
Total Membership	45,850
Total Contribution from Provincial Societies, per Treasurer's Statement	$143,773.26

MARGARET D. GORDON,
Recording Secretary.

BEATRICE S. MCLENNAN,
President.

STAFF OF WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY (W.D.)

NATIONAL

INDIAN SCHOOLS

Cecilia Jeffrey, Kenora, Ont.
Mr. E. W. Byers, Principal.
Mrs. E. W. Byers, Matron; and staff.

Birtle, Man.
Rev. E. H. Lockhart, Principal.
Mrs. E. H. Lockhart, Matron; and staff.

Mistawasis Reserve, Sask.
Rev. W. W. Moore, Teacher, Mont Nebo.

HOSPITALS

Hugh Waddell Memorial Hospital, Canora, Sask.
Miss Mary W. Cuddy, Superintendent, and four assistant nurses.

Rocky Mountain House, Alta.
Miss Irene McRae, Superintendent, and three assistant nurses.

Nursing Home, Weirdale, Sask.
Miss Mary Lyons, Superintendent.
Miss Isobel Sym, assistant.

DEACONESSES

Vancouver, B.C.
Miss S. V. Scott, 1235 W. 12th Ave.

Last Lake, Alta.
Miss Georgina Roy.

Prestville, Alta.
Miss Rosetta Moors.

Red Deer, Alta.
Miss Mary Todd, c/o Mrs. Berteau, Willowdale R.R. 3, Red Deer.

Shaughnessy, Alta.
Miss Frieda Matthews.

Regina, Sask.
Miss Helen Ross, 2126 Osler St.

Saskatoon, Sask.
Miss Mabel Booth, 916 Spadina Cresc.

Winnipeg, Man.
Miss Hazel Macdonald, Suite 11, 269 Young St.

Hamilton, Ont.
Miss M. Allan, 43 London Ave. N.

Goderich, Ont.
Miss L. Macarthur.

Toronto, Ont.
Mrs. S. M. Gillespie, 413 Strathmore Blvd.
Miss Mary Murray, 32 Binscarth Rd.
Mrs. Charles Steinmetz, 30 Bernard Ave. (part time).

Montreal, Que.
Miss Iris Munro, Apt. 1, 2447 Madison Avenue.

PRESBYTERIAN RESIDENCES

Huntingdon, Que.
Mrs. A. C. Gouldthorpe, Superintendent.

Saskatoon, Sask.
Miss Elizabeth Geddes, Superintendent, 916 Spadina Cresc.

CHINESE IN CANADA

Montreal, Que.
Miss Agnes Dickson, Apt. 6, 3420 Ste. Famille St.
Miss Elsie Lee, c/o Miss Agnes Dickson (part time).

Toronto, Ont.
Miss Fay McTavish, 686 Spadina Ave.
Miss Lily Yeung, 175 Dundas St. W.
Mrs. W. F. Adams, 53 Millwood Rd. (part time).

Vancouver, B.C.
Miss Ruth Yeandle, 2039 Creelman Avenue.
Mrs. F. Y. Louie, c/o Miss Yeandle.

Victoria, B.C.
Miss Gertrude Scott, 1008 Carberry Gardens.
Miss Grace Lee, 942 Pandora Ave.

TRAVELLING SECRETARIES

Miss P. B. Lamont, Field Secretary, Room 800, 100 Adelaide St. W., Toronto.
Miss L. K. Pelton, Promotion Secretary, Room 800, 100 Adelaide St. W., Toronto.
Miss T. Negoro, Young Women's Secretary, Room 800, 100 Adelaide St. W., Toronto.
Miss Violet Tennant, Girls' Work Secretary, Room 809, 100 Adelaide St. W., Toronto.

OVERSEAS

India

Bhil Field

Miss Marion Williamson Miss G. Mary Sherrick, B.A.	Amkhut, Alirajpur State, Central India.
Miss Isabel McConnell, Reg.N. Miss Ellen I. Douglas Miss Bessie M. MacMurchy, Reg.N.	Canadian Presbyterian Mission, Jobat, via Dohad, Central India.
Miss Margaret F. Kennedy (under appointment)	

Jhansi Mission

Miss Annie Lee Whatling Miss Irene Stringer Miss Lily A. Simpson, Reg.N. Miss Elizabeth H. Thurrott, M.D. Miss E. M. Magee	The Presbyterian Mission, Jhansi, U.P., India.

Formosa

Miss Hildur K. Hermanson, Reg.N. Miss Margaret M. Ramsay Miss Ethel M. Chisholm Miss Mildred Weir, Reg.N. Miss Ruth Heighton	79 Miyamae-cho, Taihoku, Formosa, Japan.
Miss Alma M. Burdick Miss Dorothy C. Douglas Miss Ada E. Adams Miss Isabel Taylor	Tansui, Formosa, Japan.

Manchuria

Mrs. Langdon W. Gehman, Reg.N. Miss Helena W. Gibbs	College of Chinese Studies, Peiping (Peking), China.

British Guiana

Miss Olwen Davies, B.A.	North Road, New Amsterdam, British Guiana.

Japan

Miss Jean C. MacLean Miss Mary E. Anderson	Nagamine Yama, Oishi Nada Ku, Kobe, Japan.

REPORT ON NOMINATIONS FOR POSITION OF SECRETARY OF THE GENERAL BOARD OF MISSIONS

To the Venerable the General Assembly:—

Last General Assembly approved of the following motion as an amendment to the report of the General Board of Missions.

"That the appointment of a Secretary for Home Missions be deferred for another year, and that new nominations be made by Presbyteries to the Clerk of Assembly for appointment at the 1939 Assembly."

Further, "That a small Committee be appointed by the Moderator to review the reports received from Presbyteries for the nomination of a Secretary of the General Board of Missions, and, if called for bring in a recommendation to the next Assembly, with a view to receiving unanimity."

The Committee appointed was as follows:—Dr. N. A. MacLeod, Convener; Mr. Joseph Wasson, Dr. J. S. Shortt, Ministers; Mr. J. W. Marshall and Mr. G. L. Sutherland, Elders.

The following is a complete report of nominations received:—

Rev. Wm. Barclay	Presbyteries of Guelph and Regina.
Rev. Ross K. Cameron	Presbyteries of Calgary, Edmonton, Lindsay.
Rev. W. A. Cameron, D.D.	Presbyteries of Kootenay, Miramichi, Bruce, Peterborough, Hamilton, Saugeen, Huron, Westminster, Victoria, Peace River, Paris, Sarnia, Kingston, Chatham, Winnipeg.
Rev. A. A. Lowther	Presbyteries of Orangeville, Pictou, Toronto, Maitland.
Rev. W. M. Mackay	Presbyteries of North Bay and Temiskaming, Brandon, Algoma.
Rev. M. M. MacOdrum, Ph.D.	Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland.
Rev. James Munro, B.A.	Presbyteries of London and Saskatoon.
Rev. A. S. Reid, D.D.	Presbyteries of Quebec, Montreal, Lanark and Renfrew, Macleod, Saint John, Superior.
Rev. A. D. Sutherland	Presbytery of Moose Jaw.
Overture to Assembly	Presbytery of Sarnia.
"Agreed to take no action"	Presbytery of Barrie.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. W. MacNAMARA,
Clerk of Assembly.

THE PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE, MONTREAL

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Board of Management of the Presbyterian College, Montreal, begs to report for the year 1938-9 as follows:

The temporal affairs of the College have received the most careful attention of your Board. Under the able and energetic chairmanship of Rev. Dr. A. M. Hill the house is most efficiently managed. The rooms available for student occupancy—for the first time in many years—were all occupied, in some cases with two in a room. The annual operating loss on the house has been converted into a small profit.

The physical condition of the College buildings is fair, but much remains to be done if and when the finances of the College permit. The David Morrice Hall has been redecorated and relighted through the generosity of the Alumni Association and Mr. W. J. Morrice, and the organ, which has been out of commission for many years, has been reconditioned through the generosity of other friends.

The financial condition of the College continues to be a source of acute anxiety, and your Board is again obliged to report a deficit of one thousand two hundred and seventy-four dollars ($1,274.00) for the year, which would have been covered had your Board received its former allocation of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000.00) from the budget funds. Even this amount, however, would not enable the Board to do justice to the members of the faculty, who continue to be greatly underpaid, nor to afford long overdue recognition of the faithful services of the senior members of the household staff.

A comparison of this year's financial statement with that of 1931-2 and a perusal of the report of the Board of Knox College for that year should justify more generous treatment of these most important branches of the Church's work. The claims of the colleges at that date were most graphically presented in the report above mentioned, and their financial condition is worse today. In spite of handicaps, your professors continue to perform most efficiently their highly essential service. The zeal and ability of these devoted servants of the Church are above praise, and adequate provision for their present support as well as their future security should no longer be delayed.

This Board, therefore, strongly recommends that the salary of the Principal be restored to its former amount of four thousand five hundred dollars ($4,500.00) and the salaries of the other members of the Faculty be fixed at four thousand dollars ($4,000.00) per annum as formerly, such restoration to date from the commencement of the 1939-40 term.

This Board fully recognizes the difficult financial problem that confronts the Church at this time, and begs to assure your Venerable body that individually and collectively they are most willing and anxious to aid in any way within their power in solving it.

In conclusion, your Board desires to express its thanks to the Board of Administration and its Committees, as well as to the permanent officers of the Church, for their kindness and cordial support during the past year.

The Financial Statement for the year 1938-9 accompanies this report.

All respectfully submitted by the Board of Management of the Presbyterian College, Montreal.

DAVID McGILL,
Honorary Secretary.

FRASER S. KEITH,
Chairman.

REPORT OF THE SENATE OF THE PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE, MONTREAL

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Senate of the Presbyterian College, Montreal, begs to submit the following report for the session 1938-1939.

The registration of students for the session has been fifty-three of whom thirty-one were registered for the classes in Theology. Extra-mural work has been taken by those preparing for the higher theological degrees. The class work has been satisfactory in every respect.

The staff has again been assisted by the services of Principal Emeritus D. J. Fraser, lecturer in New Testament, and Professor O. W. Howard (Diocesan College), lecturer in Apologetics and Psychology and Philosophy of Religion. Mr. A. R. George has given instruction in Elocution. Dr. A. M. Hill and Dr. W. M. Kannawin gave short courses in Religious Education to the students of the Third Year. To all these the Senate acknowledges its deep appreciation.

The lecturing has been assigned as follows:—

Old Testament Language and Literature,
History of Old Testament Religion—Professor W. Harvey-Jellie.

New Testament Language and Literature,
Church Government—Principal Emeritus D. J. Fraser.

Systematic Theology,
Homiletics and Pastoral Theology—Principal F. Scott Mackenzie.

Church History and History of Religions—Professor Frank W. Beare, B.A.

Apologetics and Philosophy of Religion—Prof. O. W. Howard (Diocesan College).

Religious Education—Dr. A. M. Hill and Dr. W. M. Kannawin.

Elocution—Mr. A. R. George.

The registration was as follows:—

THEOLOGY, 3RD YEAR—*Nine:* K. Cameron Allard, B.A., Archie B. Casselman, B.A., Thomas Lamont, Jonathan M. Fletcher, B.A., Edwin G. MacDonald, B.A., James A. MacGowan, B.A., Allison O. MacLean, Roderick MacLeod, H. Crawford Scott, B.A.

THEOLOGY, 2ND YEAR—*Ten:* Jesse E. Bigelow, B.A., G. Edward Bingham, Samuel M. Brown, Herbert M. Buntain, B.A., W. Harold Heustin, J. D. L. Howson, B.A., Harrison L. Lamond, John M. MacQueen, Alexander A. Rattray, B.Sc., John A. Smith, B.A.

THEOLOGY, 1ST YEAR—*Nine:* A. M. Gibson, B.A., Ian MacKenzie, Wallace MacKinnon, Randolph D. MacLean, B.A., H. Keith Markell, B.A., Allister E. Morrison, Harry S. Rodney, B.A., Jacques Antonio Smith, James H. Williams, B.A.

THEOLOGY, UNCLASSIFIED—*One:* Hugh A. Pritchard.

THEOLOGY, EXTRA-MURAL—*Two:* John Hallett Low, Kirby C. Gilmour.

ARTS, 4TH YEAR—*Ten:* Donald C. Archibald, Niall H. Burnett, James Collins, John O. Denny, Harrison L. Lamond, Donald C. MacDonald, Allan Lorne MacKay, Wallace MacKinnon, John M. MacQueen, Bazil M. Stark.

ARTS, 3RD YEAR—*Nine:* John R. Carson, Glenn Keith Cowan, H. Lloyd Henderson, James G. MacDonald, Joseph R. MacDonald, John Donald MacKay, J. Fraser MacMillan, Perry Francis Rockwood, Lawrence E. Yates.

ARTS, 2ND YEAR—*Three:* J. C. Eldon Andrews, Gordon Faraday, Charles W. Quinn.

ARTS, PARTIAL—*Two:* A. H. MacOdrum, John H. Marshall.

The Annual Convocation was held on Tuesday, April 11th, when the following prizes and scholarships were awarded and degrees conferred:—

PRIZES

ELOCUTION PRIZE

The MacVicar Memorial Church..... Samuel Brown

PRIZE FOR GENERAL HIGH STANDING (3RD YEAR)

The William Kydd Prize..... Jonathan M. Fletcher, B.A.
Thomas Lamont

THE A. M. HILL PRIZE FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (3RD YEAR)

Thomas Lamont

THE WILLIAM PATTERSON PRIZE FOR NEW TESTAMENT EXEGESIS (1ST YEAR)

Harold Keith Markell, B.A.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Gaelic Scholarships

The Duncan Gordon..... John M. MacQueen, Roderick MacLeod

University Scholarships

The McCorkill..... James Eldon Andrews, James Collins, A. Gordon Faraday, Wallace MacKinnon

The W. B. Hamilton..... Lawrence E. Yates

The J. Dow..... Niall H. Burnett, John R. Carson, H. Lloyd Henderson, J. Fraser MacMillan

The MacLaren..... John O. Denny
The Dora Forsyth..... Keith Cowan
The Colin McArthur..... John M. MacQueen

Theological Scholarships

The H. G. Munro..... Jonathan M. Fletcher, B.A.
The Presbyterian Publications..... Thomas Lamont
The C. J. MacLaren..... Edwin G. MacDonald, B.A.
The S. R. MacLaren..... H. Crawford Scott, B.A.
The Mrs. George McDougall..... Herbert M. Buntain, B.A.
The A. M. Nairn..... Alexander A. Rattray, B.Sc.
The W. L. Williman..... Jesse E. Bigelow, B.A.
The R. W. Dickie..... H. Keith Markell, B.A.
The Peter Redpath..... Harry S. Rodney, B.A.
The A. M. Nairn..... Randolph D. MacLean, B.A.
The James Sinclair (Essay)..... A. E. Morrison
The Robert Munro (Missions)..... A. A. Rattray, B.Sc.
The Joseph Anderson (English Bible)..... H. Keith Markell, B.A.

The Daniel Penman Graduate Scholarship

Johnathan M. Fletcher, B.A.

MEDAL

THE CALVIN GOLD MEDAL

Jonathan M. Fletcher, B.A.

The degree of B.D. by examination was conferred upon Mr. Jonathan M. Fletcher, B.A. The Honorary Degree of D.D. was conferred upon the Reverend James Naismith, B.A., M.D., M.P.E., the Reverend Professor O. W. Howard, B.A., D.D., the Reverend William MacMillan, B.A., B.D.

The graduating students were licensed by the Presbytery of Montreal, and the graduating class was addressed by Professor O. W. Howard, D.D., who took as his subject: "The Modern Minister and His Message".

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. HARVEY-JELLIE,
Secretary of Senate.

F. SCOTT MACKENZIE,
Principal.

Montreal, April 14th, 1939.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

Montreal, 8th March, 1939.

To the Finance Committee,
Presbyterian College,
Montreal.

Gentlemen:—

We have audited the Books and Accounts of the Presbyterian College, Montreal, for the year ended 31st January, 1939, and append hereto Balance Sheet as at that date, signed by us with reference hereto, and relative Statements.

We have accepted the Montreal Trust Company's Certificate as to the correctness of the amounts of the loans on First Mortgages held by them, and have verified by actual inspection the Stocks and Bonds on hand. We are informed that certain tax receipts in connection with the mortgaged properties have still to be produced to the Montreal Trust Company.

We hereby certify that the attached Balance Sheet is properly drawn up so as to give a true and correct view of the financial position of the College as at 31st January, 1939, according to the information and explanations given to us and as shown by the Books of the College.

Yours faithfully,

(Signed) MACINTOSH, ROBERTSON & PATERSON,
Chartered Accountants.

PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE, MONTREAL

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st JANUARY, 1939

Assets

College Buildings, Land, Furniture, etc.	$160,000.00	
Improvements to Principal's Residence, *Less* Reserve	11,215.99	
Library, Books and Equipment	10,000.00	$181,215.99
Investments:—		
Loans on First Mortgages	$163,841.00	
Stocks and Bonds* $107,884.31		
Less Reserve 3,277.06	104,607.25	268,448.25
*(Market Value $108,382.75)		
Cash (Uninvested Capital Funds)		3,177.47
Interest Accrued to Date	$4,294.95	
Deferred Charges	1,813.48	
Cash in Bank and on Hand	342.92	
The Presbyterian Church in Canada Balance of Contribution	500.00	6,951.35
		$459,793.06

Liabilities

Accounts Payable and Accrued Charges	$2,675.41	
Loan—The Presbyterian Church in Canada	2,500.00	$ 5,175.41
Endowments:—		
Special for Professors' Chairs	$152,682.88	
Hugh Watson	7,320.38	
General	95,382.31	
Scholarships	43,806.58	
Library	1,904.68	301,096.83
Reserves for Future Appropriations:—		
Scholarships	$16,848.24	
Calvin Gold Medal	2,051.06	
Portraits	233.85	19,133.15
Surplus Account as at 31st January, 1938	$135,661.71	
Less—Excess of Expenditure over Revenue for the Year ended 31st January, 1939	1,274.04	134,387.67
		$459,793.06

Audited and found correct subject to our Report of this date.

(Signed) MACINTOSH, ROBERTSON & PATERSON,
Chartered Accountants.

Montreal, 8th March, 1939.

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY, 1939

Revenue

Presbyterian Church in Canada—Contribution		$13,500.00
Appropriations transferred—		
Hugh Watson Endowment Fund	$ 470.00	
General Endowment Fund	3,299.00	3,769.00
		$17,269.00
Professors' Salaries and Lecturers' Fees	$15,850.00	
Less Revenue from Special Endowments applicable thereto	8,345.76	7,504.24
		$9,764.76

Expenditure

Repairs, Maintenance and Furnishings	$1,581.50	
Fuel and Light	1,931.20	
Wages—Engineer, Janitor and Cleaning	2,289.50	
Stationery, Printing and Advertising	451.86	
Insurance	1,073.28	
Salaries of Secretary and Librarians	888.00	
Travelling Expense	304.25	
Telephones and Postage	370.56	
Taxes	1,443.42	
Audit Fee	315.00	
Interest (Net)	202.25	
Library Expenses $377.35		
Less Appropriation 78.00	299.35	
General Expense	83.68	
Commission, Montreal Trust Company	606.50	
Renovation of David Morrice Hall $466.50		
Less Contributions received 460.00	6.50	
	$11,846.85	
Less Profit on Household Account as per Statement attached	808.05	11,038.80
Deficit carried to Balance Sheet		$1,274.04

STATEMENT OF INCOME FROM INVESTMENTS AND APPROPRIATIONS THEREFROM FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY, 1939

Income from Investments		$14,212.59
Appropriations		
For Scholarship Endowment	$2,019.83	
Library Endowment	78.00	
Special Endowment	8,345.76	
Hugh Watson Endowment	470.00	
General Endowment	3,299.00	$14,212.59

STATEMENT OF SPECIAL ENDOWMENTS SHOWING REVENUE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY, 1939, FROM INVESTMENTS ALLOCATED THERETO

	Special Endowments	*Revenue*
Joseph Mackay Chair	$33,929.52	$1,996.00
Edward Mackay Chair	33,929.52	1,844.68
John Redpath Chair	27,143.62	1,343.95
Lord Strathcona Chair	40,715.45	2,162.12
Robert Anderson Chair	16,964.77	999.01
	$152,682.88	$8,345.76

Revenue applied towards Professors' Salaries and Lecturers' Fees for the Year as follows:—		
Principal F. Scott Mackenzie	$4,050.00	
Honorarium for 1937-1938 Session	500.00	
	$4,550.00	
Professor Dr. W. Harvey-Jellie	3,600.00	
Professor Frank W. Beare	3,600.00	
Lecturers:—		
Dr. D. J. Fraser	3,600.00	
Dr. O. W. Howard	500.00	
		$15,850.00
Shortage as per Statement of Revenue and Expenditure		$7,504.24

HOUSEHOLD ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st JANUARY, 1939

Revenue

Donation *re* Convocation Reception		$ 62.92
From Rooms and Board represented by—		
Amounts paid to Montreal Trust Co	$8,507.84	
Collected but not paid to Montreal Trust Co.	162.78	
		8,670.62
		$8,733.54
Note.—Amount due by Students	$1,487.04	
Students' Accounts paid in advance	208.50	

Expenditure

Supplies	$4,841.50	
Wages	1,363.99	
Lady Superintendent's Salary	720.00	
Light and Heat—Proportion	1,000.00	
		7,925.49
Profit transferred to Revenue and Expenditure Account		$808.05

PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE, MONTREAL

LIST OF SECURITIES HELD AS AT JANUARY 31st, 1939

Amount	*Description*	*Book Value*	*Interest Rate*
$3,000.00	Canada Steamship Lines Limited, Series "A" Bonds, due January 2nd, 1957	$ 4,993.75	5%
65-10/20	Shares Canadian Steamship Lines Limited, Preferred Stock—Par Value $50.00		5%
15	Shares Canadian Steamship Lines Limited, Common Stock—No Par Value		...
$ 300.00	Canadian Light & Power Company, First Mortgage Bond, due July 1st, 1949	300.00	5%
3,000.00	Canadian Pacific Railway Company 20-Year S/F Secured Note Certificate, due December 15th, 1944	3,022.50	4½%
2,000.00	Dominion of Canada 1931 National Service Loan Bonds, due November 15th, 1941	2,000.00	5%
3,200.00	Dominion of Canada 1933 Refunding Loan Bond Series N 7, due October 15th, 1945	3,188.00	4%
1,000.00	Dominion of Canada Bond, due November 1st, 1958	1,004.50	4½%
32,000.00	Dominion of Canada 1931 Conversion Loan, due November 1st, 1959	33,071.35	4½%
6,000.00	Dominion of Canada 20-Year Bonds, due June 1st, 1955	5,902.50	3%
3,000.00	Gatineau Power Company First Mortgage Gold Bonds, due June 1st, 1956	2,985.00	5%
3,000.00	The Montreal Metropolitan Commission 35-Year S/F Gold Bonds, due November 1st, 1961	3,033.75	4½%
1,000.00	City of Montreal Bond, due November 1st, 1956	1,014.49	5%
2,000.00	City of Montreal Sinking Fund Gold Bonds, due September 1st, 1958	2,028.92	5%
100.00	Montreal Light, Heat and Power Cons. Convertible Deb. F/R July 1st, 1939—Exchangeable into Common Stock on or before July 1st, 1937	92.75	3%
3,000.00	Province of Ontario Debentures, due February 1st, 1941	3,318.85	6%
3,000.00	Province of Ontario Debentures, due September 1st, 1944	2,899.35	4½%
3,000.00	The Port Hood Coal Company First Mortgage Bonds, due September 30th, 1919	1.00	6%
3,000.00	Province of Quebec Gold Debentures, due March 2nd, 1950	2,936.85	4½%
	Carried forward....	$71,793.56	

Amount	*Description*	*Book Value*	*Interest Rate*
	Brought forward....	$71,793.56	
$ 3,000.00	City of Quebec Debentures, due February 1st, 1953	3,035.25	5%
4,500.00	The Shawinigan Water & Power Company First Mortgage and Collateral Tr. S/F Gold Bonds Series "D", due October 1st, 1970	4,376.25	4½%
3,000.00	The Shawinigan Water & Power Company 25-Year First Mortgage and Collateral Tr. S/F Bonds Series "F", due April 1st, 1961	2,951.25	4%
6,000.00	The Wabasso Cotton Company, Limited, First Mortgage Series "A" bonds, due February 1st, 1951	5,985.00	4½%
14,000.00	Province of Nova Scotia Debentures, due August 16th, 1946	14,000.00	3½%
30 Shares	Abitibi Power & Paper Company Limited, Cumulative Preferred Stock—Par Value $100.00.	2,559.00	6%
30 Shares	Canada Cement Company Limited Sinking Fund Cumulative Preferred Stock—Par Value $100.00.	2,944.00	6½%
30 Shares	Cockshutt Plow Company Limited, Common—No Par Value	240.00	...
		$107,884.31	
	Mortgages	$165,246.00	

KNOX COLLEGE

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Board of Management of Knox College begs to submit its Ninety-fifth Annual Report.

The House Committee reported a successful year in the internal management of the College Residence. Ninety-five students, on an average, were in residence, of whom thirty-one were Church students. By careful and yet efficient management a substantial sum was available from the maintenance account to supplement the income of the College. This balance was absorbed in the General Account, but your Board feels that since there is no sinking fund being set up at the present time and the time will inevitably come when major repairs will have to be done to the fabric it is highly desirable such balances be put into a fund for this purpose.

All necessary repairs have been made always with an eye to the urgent need of economy.

The Board regrets the passing of the late Lindsay Torrance, of Guelph, who had given faithful and valuable time and service to the Church through work on this Board. Nor was the College forgotten at his death; the sum of $10,000 has been left by his Will to Knox College.

We are pleased to report, also, that from the estate of the late Rev. George M. Milligan, a sum of $750 has been received to form a scholarship to be known as the "John Watson Bursary". The John Watson thus commemorated in the Bursary was for over fifty years Professor of Philosophy in Queen's University and has but recently died.

A magnificent piece of sculpture depicting the "Martyrdom of Margaret Wilson" has been presented to the College by Senator A. C. Hardy, of Brockville. This has been given a prominent place in the vestibule of the College just below the Chapel.

A glance at the Balance Sheet of the College will show that the Endowment and Scholarship Funds are in excellent shape as far as they go, but we would again remind the Church that the task of financing the College has been made immensely difficult by the loss at the time of disruption of $145,000 from these funds. This has meant that the College is understaffed and that the present staff is practically doing double duty. We would commend the Endowment Funds of the College to those who wish to see our Church dealing fairly with its servants and adequately with its great task of the Christian ministry.

Your Board has given careful consideration to the question of filling the Chair of Systematic Theology. For the Session of 1938-1939 they were exceedingly fortunate in securing Prof. W. S. Urquhart, D.Litt., D.D., D.L., LL.D., Principal Emeritus of the Scottish Church College, Calcutta, to give the lectures in this subject. This arrangement has been eminently satisfactory both to the Board and to the students.

Your Board wishing to proceed with despatch to fill this Chair with a permanent appointment has decided to notify Presbyteries to this effect immediately after the meeting of this General Assembly.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. T. McCREE,
Secretary.

J. A. McLEOD,
Chairman.

REPORT OF THE SENATE OF KNOX COLLEGE

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Senate of Knox College begs to submit this its Ninety-fifth Annual Report. It would gratefully record a very satisfactory session.

There were enrolled in the ordinary classes in Theology thirty-one students; of these nine were in the third year (including one special student who took the work of that year by the direction of the General Assembly), eleven in the second year, and eleven in the first. Twenty-two were enrolled as candidates for the degree of Bachelor of Divinity.

In Arts, and in preparation for the study of Theology, there are registered thirty-two. This is not necessarily an exact number because some students in Arts who have the ministry in view may not be registered in our College.

The Senate would express its profound gratitude to the Rev. W. S. Urquhart, D.D., D.Litt., LL.D., Principal Emeritus of the Church of Scotland College, Calcutta, India, who lectured in Systematic Theology with the greatest acceptance. The College was indeed fortunate in securing his services.

The Ninety-fifth Convocation was held on April 11th, when Professor H. L. Stewart, Ph.D., Professor of Philosophy in Dalhousie University gave an interesting, instructive and much appreciated address.

The names of the students who completed the prescribed course and received the diploma of the College are: H. K. Caslor, J. S. Clarke, B.A., C. C. Cochrane, B.A., W. A. Kincaid, B.A., W. J. McKeown, B.A., G. W. Murdoch, B.A., T. H. B. Somers, M.A., J. K. R. Thomson, B.A.

The following is the list of awards:—

Special Scholarships and Prizes:		*Awarded to*
The McClure Scholarship (1937-38)	$ 45.00	John A. Ross
The Archibald McArthur Scholarship (1937-38)	35.00	R. D. A. Currie (First)
	25.00	Thomas Maxwell (Second)
The Prince of Wales Prize	50.00	R. W. Manning, B.A.
The Torrance-Dryden Scholarship	60.00	R. W. Manning, B.A.
The R. M. Boswell Scholarship	50.00	P. A. Ferguson, B.A.
The McLellan Scott Scholarship	100.00	P. A. Ferguson, B.A.
Presbyterian Publications Scholarship	100.00	J. K. Lattimore, B.A.
The Brydon Prize	25.00	J. K. R. Thomson, B.A.
The Barbara Ogilvie Gray Scholarship	60.00	T. H. B. Somers, M.A.
The Travelling Fellowship	600.00	T. H. B. Somers, M.A.
The Smith Scholarship and the Gordon Mortimer Clark Scholarship	Not awarded	

Scholarships and Prizes in Competitive Examinations:

Third Year.		
The Bonar-Burns Scholarship	$ 60.00	T. H. B. Somers, M.A.
The Elizabeth Scott Scholarship	60.00	G. W. Murdoch, B.A.
The George Sheriff Morrice Scholarship	50.00	J. S. Clarke, B.A.
Second Year.		
The R. H. Thornton Memorial Scholarship	100.00	P. A. Ferguson, B.A.
The Loghrin Scholarship	50.00	G. M. Lamont, B.A.
The Jane Mortimer Scholarship	50.00	James Ferguson, B.A.
The J. A. Cameron Scholarship	50.00	J. K. Lattimore, B.A.
First Year.		
The Eastman Scholarship	50.00	R. W. Manning, B.A.
The Gillies Scholarship	50.00	R. Forbes Thomson, B.A.
The Mrs. Morrice Scholarship	50.00	Richard Stewart
The Fisher Scholarship No. 1	50.00	M. A. Williams, B.A.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

THOMAS EAKIN,
Principal.

Toronto, April 12th, 1939.

KNOX COLLEGE, TORONTO

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st JANUARY, 1939

General Endowment				$264,844.72
Mortgages and Interest	$ 42,544.61			
Property held for sale	10,803.49			
Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	208,040.48			
		$261,388.58	$261,388.58	
Uninvested		3,456.14		
		$264,844.72		
Income and Expenditure, Debit Balance			778.88	
Scholarship Endowment				59,216.39
Mortgages	$10,700.00			
Bonds and Debentures	42,936.70			
		$53,636.70	53,636.70	
Uninvested		5,579.69		
		$59,216.39		
Non-Competitive Scholarship Endowment				25,325.45
Mortgages	$ 3,518.00			
Bonds and Debentures	19,556.69			
		$23,074.69	23,074.69	
Uninvested		2,250.76		
		$25,325.45		
McLellan Estate				16,797.81
Mortgages	$ 4,500.00			
Bonds and Debentures	12,802.07			
		$17,302.07	17,302.07	
Overinvested		504.26		
		$16,797.81		

Joseph Henderson Bursary			$8,271.00
Bonds and Debentures		$6,816.85	$6,816.85
Uninvested		1,454.15	
		$8,271.00	
M. G. Abey Bursary			8,363.99
Mortgages	$4,000.00		
Bonds and Debentures	3,420.31		
		$7,420.31	7,420.31
Uninvested		943.68	
		$8,363.99	
Organ Upkeep Fund			3,958.31
Bonds and Debentures		$2,842.36	2,842.36
Uninvested		1,115.95	
		$3,958.31	
Accrued interest on Bonds, Debentures and Mortgages			3,640.03
Cash on Hand and in Banks			10,071.30
Sundry Liabilities			194.10
			$386,971.77 $386,971.77

KNOX COLLEGE—FOR YEAR ENDING 31ST JANUARY, 1939

GENERAL ENDOWMENT INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

Income

Presbyterian Church Budget		$12,100.00
House Account		3,500.00
Interest on Investments		11,835.06
Organ Upkeep Fund		144.26
B.D. Degree		10.00
		$27,589.32

Expenditure

Balance, 31st January, 1938		$ 550.32	
Bank Charges	$ 18.12		
Maintenance, General Upkeep, Light, Heat	8,348.13		
Telephone	180.37		
Upkeep of Organ	110.00		
Printing and Stationery	283.29		
Advertising, Safety Deposit Box Rent and Sundry Expenses	287.08		
Salaries	17,740.66		
Auditing	125.00		
Caven Library Expenses	600.00		
Travelling Expenses	105.23		
Insurance	20.00		
		27,817.88	
			28,368.20
Balance of Expenditure over Income 31st January 1939			$778.88

SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

Income

Interest on Investments	$2,777.80	
Dr. Norman MacEachern, Scholarship	100.00	
		$2,877.80

Expenditure

Scholarships	$2,375.00	
Balance transferred to Corpus	502.80	
		$2,877.80

NON-COMPETITIVE SCHOLARSHIP INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

Income

Bursaries	$ 300.00	
Interest on Investments	1,280.06	
McLellan Estate	696.60	
		$2,276.66

Expenditure

Scholarships and Students Aid	$ 755.50	
Salaries Greek and Hebrew Teachers	1,000.00	
Balance transferred to Corpus	521.16	
		$2,276.66

McLELLAN ESTATE

Income

Balance, 31st January, 1938	$16,797.81	
Interest	696.60	
		$17,494.41

Expenditure

Interest transferred to Non-Competitive Scholarships	$ 696.60	
Balance, 31st January, 1939	16,797.81	
		$17,494.41

JOSEPH HENDERSON BURSARY

Income

Interest	$326.17

Expenditure

Balance transferred to Corpus	$326.17

M. G. ABEY, BURSARY

Income

Interest	$406.29

Expenditure

Balance transferred to Corpus	$406.29

KNOX COLLEGE HOUSE ACCOUNT

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR YEAR ENDING 31ST JANUARY, 1939

Receipts

Balance—Cash on Hand and in Bank, 31st January, 1938		$ 1,675.57	
Board and Rooms	$22,323.70		
Key Deposits (less refunds)	213.50		
		22,537.20	
			$24,212.77

Disbursements

Food	$10,324.52		
Supplies	887.18		
Salaries and Wages	7,058.25		
Light, Heat and Power	445.76		
Expenses	968.44		
Bank Charges	7.35		
		$19,691.50	
Transferred to General Endowment Income Account		3,500.00	
			23,191.50
Balance, 31st January, 1939			$1,021.27

Balance, 31st January, 1939, made up as follows:

Bank of Nova Scotia			$854.60
Cash on Hand, General		$139.88	
Mrs. McInnis		26.51	
Petty Cash		.28	
			166.67
			$1,021.27

E. W. McNEILL,
Treasurer.

CERTIFICATE

We have audited the books and accounts of Knox College for the year ending 31st January, 1939, and certify that the Balance Sheet and related statements are, in our opinion, drawn up so as to show a true and correct view of the affairs of the College according to the best of our information, the explanations given us, and as shown by the books.

The Cash on Hand was verified by count during the course of our audit and we received confirmation of the bank accounts from your bankers.

We examined the Bond and Debenture securities and found them to be in accord with the books. These securities are held for safekeeping in the vaults of the Toronto General Trusts Corporation. The investments are shown on the Balance Sheet at book value.

HENRY BARBER, MAPP & MAPP,
Chartered Accountants.

Toronto, 17th March, 1939.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE CHURCH EXTENSION FUND

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Trustees of the Church Extension Fund are pleased to report an encouraging increase in payments from congregations, both of interest, and principal, on account of loans made from this Fund. Receipts on account of principal show an increase of $3,435.00 over the previous year. Payment of interest was $521.00 more than in the previous year.

This is a hopeful sign, and we trust that the improvement as to payment will continue. Nearly all of these loans are long overdue, and if this Fund is to fulfill the purpose for which it was established, as a permanent loaning fund to assist congregations in the erection of suitable places of Worship, this will be possible only to the extent to which loans already made are repaid. It should also be noted, that even the increase in interest payments did not meet bank charges for interest on the overdraft, with consequent depletion of capital.

Several new loans were approved during the year, after careful consideration, and where in each instance it was thought advisable to lend such assistance as was possible, not only in the interest of the local congregation, but of the Church at large.

The Board would urge upon all congregations which are indebted to this Fund, that special efforts be made toward payment in reduction of their loans, and to meet payment of interest when due.

A financial statement follows.

CHURCH EXTENSION FUND

CASH STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDING 31ST JANUARY, 1939

Expenditure

Bank Overdraft, January 31st, 1938		$27,711.53
Bank Charges	$1,520.21	
Loans	9,358.92	
		10,879.13
		$38,590.66

Receipts

Principal of Loans Repaid	$4,135.00	
Interest Paid on Loans	1,331.80	
Income on Investments	243.00	
Credit on Expenses	.03	
		$ 5,709.83
Bank Overdraft		$32,880.83

CHURCH AND MANSE FUND

Very little progress has been made regarding the repayment by congregations of loans from this Fund. The majority of these loans were made before 1925. The present report shows an increase in payments on account of principal of $1,672.75 over the amount received in the previous year, but a slight decrease in payment of interest.

It would appear from the reports of recent years that very little effort has been made by many of the congregations, which have received assistance from the Fund, to reduce their indebtedness. Local conditions in many cases are largely responsible for the failure to make repayment, but it is feared that many of the congregations are inclined to treat very lightly their obligations to the Church. We trust that the present year may show a distinct improvement.

A financial statement follows.

CHURCH AND MANSE FUND

CASH STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDING 31ST JANUARY, 1939

Receipts

Jan. 31, 1938	Balance in Bank		$3,760.33
Jan. 31, 1939	Principal Repaid on Loans	$3,640.00	
	Interest Paid on Loans	518.09	
	Bank Interest	74.21	
	Sundry	1.00	
	Rent, Victoria, B.C.	297.76	
	Refund on Taxes	.65	
	Income on Investments	126.00	
			4,657.71
			$8,418.04

Expenditure

Jan. 31, 1939	Loans	$1,913.55	
	Bank Charges	3.11	
	Taxes, Victoria, B.C.	99.61	
			$2,016.27
Jan. 31, 1939	Balance in Bank		$6,401.77

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. G. INKSTER,
Chairman.

J. W. MACNAMARA,
Secretary.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CHURCH WORSHIP AND COMMITTEE ON BOOK OF COMMON ORDER

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

It will be generally agreed that the most important work done of late by above Committees was the revision of the Book of Common Order. The Committee on Church Worship had, naturally, a part in this, having representatives on the Committee chosen by the Ottawa Assembly.

The Book was completed last summer and given to the publishers—Presbyterian Publications. By the middle of October 1938 it was on the market, and the report is that the sale has been good. If there are evidences of haste in the preparation of the Book, the Assembly is reminded that the former Book was entirely out of print. There could be no reprinting because the plates had been destroyed or lost.

The old Book was thoroughly examined. Certain parts not considered necessary to the ministers were eliminated. Several new Orders have been added. These, we are glad to say, have been warmly received. Throughout the 1922 edition, there were many alternate Orders. In the revised Book these have been avoided as much as possible. The advantage of this has been generally conceded. It will be seen that there is but one Order for Public Worship in the morning and one for the evening. This is for the purpose of securing a greater uniformity in our Churches throughout Canada, without stultifying "the law of the Spirit of Life in Christ Jesus." The Services provided, as we state in the Preface, should not be difficult to follow for the *Main Order* is printed in black-faced type, and alternatives are in type of a lighter kind. Throughout the Book explanatory rubrics serve as a guide to the ministers.

We do not expect that the present revision is final. Some time in the future the Assembly may wish to produce an entirely new Book or another revision. And so, for the benefit of the Committee that may be chosen we have placed our MSS., together with a copy of the 1922 edition (which contains all the sources of the prayers printed in it) with the authorities of Knox College, Toronto. Our own MSS. give the origins of the new prayers introduced.

I am sure that the Assembly will want to thank the publishers for the format and the excellence generally of the mechanical work done.

Since there is no provision made, the Committee on Church Worship did not meet this year.

C. L. COWAN,
Convener.

Committee on Church Worship
and
Convener on Committee of Revision.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON EVANGELISM AND CHURCH LIFE AND WORK

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Committee has held six meetings during the year, and in order to save travelling expenses the work was accomplished largely through its Executive.

The Committee by order of the General Assembly appointed representatives to the Joint Committee on the Evangelization of Canadian Life, the Canadian Branch of the World Alliance for International Friendship through the Churches, to the Canadian Committee of the World's Council of Churches (in process of formation), the National Religious Advisory Council of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, the Christian Social Service Council of Canada, and the Lord's Day Alliance.

It was recommended by the Committee that the Churches observe the Week of Prayer in January, and that we use as far as possible, the programme prepared by the World's Evangelical Alliance.

The Committee recommended that the Presbyteries conduct a Pre-Easter Conference. To what extent that suggestion was carried out we do not know, but in some Presbyteries it was found profitable.

The Questionnaire sent out by the Committee last year on the "State of Religion" throughout our Church Constituency in Canada reveals a situation which emphasizes the need of a recall to religion. This is the logical follow-up of the Questionnaire—How shall we best go about the task of a revival of genuine evangelical religion and the deepening of the spiritual life? The problem is the same and the end which is sought is the same, but the question arises as to the best method of attaining the desired end.

A generation ago the line of approach was chiefly through large mass meetings where numbers stimulated a high degree of fervour, and the emotional appeal of the music and the address brought many to the penitent bench. These methods have in a new generation lost their attractiveness. There was often a lack of permanence in the results, though many were stirred and aroused and led to the adoption of a new and Christian way of life. Today we must approach the matter in ways best suited to the changed conditions of modern life. Each congregation, or groups of congregations must work on lines that by experiment are found to produce the best results.

The Presbytery seems to be the most suitable unit through which to work. It seems very important in an age like our own to cultivate the spirit of Christian Fellowship and Brotherly Love in every community. Without this spirit Evangelism can make little progress. If in some communities a district interdenominational effort is feasible or desired, it should be followed, for success along these lines is calculated to produce the happiest results.

If our ministers and other Christian leaders realize the supreme importance of unity of spirit and effort in promoting Evangelical Christianity in their own spheres of work, and so throughout the Church, the whole Church will receive a great impetus in achieving its objective in every department of its work.

In these modern days Family Worship has been neglected. The mid-week Prayer Meeting has in many cases given way to the Forum, or dropped altogether.

It has been said that the Prayer Meeting is the pulse of the Church, and if that is true, then our Church is not the vital, living force it should be. We still believe that a re-emphasis upon this all-important matter is urgently needed.

Your Committee co-operated with the Lord's Day Alliance, and joined with them in protesting against efforts to loosen the existing law. Continued vigilance will be necessary if we are to retain our Sunday from professional sports, and turning it into a holiday.

The Committee views with alarm the inroads of the Liquor Traffic. The injurious results of this anti-social trade and its attendant customs are being widely registered in the economic, physical, and moral life of the people. The mounting toll of death and injury on our highways, in no inconsiderable portion due to drink, is a tragic warning of the inevitable results when a narcotic drug is freely accessible and is widely used in a highly mechanized society.

The members of the Church need to be reminded more frequently of their individual responsibilities in the work of the Lord through His Church. Our calling is to a consecrated service and every gift with which we have been endowed should be dedicated to His Service. The quality of our love for the Lord Jesus Christ will reflect on the type of service we render.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Committee make the following recommendations:—

1. Feeling the need of a recall to religion in the lives of our people we recommend that Presbyteries make this matter one of deep concern and attention, adopting methods and proceeding upon lines that seem best to them in promoting true evangelical religion, and the spirit of friendship and brotherly love.

2. We recommend that the pulpit be used more frequently to emphasize our indebtedness to God, and His first claim on all our endowments. Our congregations should be made aware that our offerings are just as important a part of the worship as any other, and that sincerity in worship is the only type acceptable with God.

3. In the interests of the home, clean moral living, and the safety of human life, we recommend:—

(1) That a strong educational campaign be carried out throughout the Church. That the ministers give a strong leadership to the end that youth may be impressed of the dangers of intoxicants.

(2) We are aware that the beverage rooms are a menace to the moral welfare, and we would strongly support a provincial referendum on their continuance, or otherwise.

(3) We strongly protest the recent ruling of the C.B.C., which provides for the advertising of beer and wine over the national network.

4. We regard gambling as one of the contributing factors to the lowering of the Christian consciousness, and recommend:—

That the General Assembly call upon the ministers, members, and adherents of our Church to do their utmost to create a public sentiment against gambling, and that suitable sermons be preached showing forth the evils of this baneful and enslaving habit.

5. Whereas there are certain types of radio programmes which militate against Church Services, and the Sunday School hour, we recommend:—

That the General Assembly protest to the C.B.C., through the National Religious Advisory Council against the character and source of such broadcasts.

6. Your Committee has had its attention drawn, not only to the widespread buying and selling in different parts of Canada on Sunday, but also to the attempts made to legalize professional sport on that day in some of the provinces.

We recommend that our Churches co-operate to the fullest extent with the Lord's Day Alliance in their efforts to preserve the Sabbath.

7. We recommend that our General Assembly have a unit in the Christian Social Service Council of Canada.

8. Your Committee has given a great deal of time and thought to the proposed Evangelistic and Young People's Hymn Book. The personnel of this Committee is continually changing, therefore, we recommend:—

That the General Assembly appoint a Hymn Book Committee.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN Y. FRASER,
Secretary.

J. B. THOMSON,
Convener.

REPORT OF THE "RECORD" COMMITTEE

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

Your Committee begs to submit the report for 1938.

The circulation has been maintained throughout the year, the monthly printing being 27,000 copies.

Whilst relatively speaking, that is in comparison with similar publications, this is gratifying, it is not creditable in the light of the Assembly's frequent deliverances with respect to placing the *Record* in every family and with respect to the purpose served by the *Record*. Interest in the work can be aroused and maintained only by information and this in the main is the function of a church paper. Sufficient evidence is also provided by our readers to support the conviction that the *Record* does serve this purpose.

Two things are greatly to be desired in this connection. First, recognition that it is the Church's publication and loyalty to the Church requires that every congregation shall see that the Church's messages reach all members and adherents; second, the value of zeal and labour in promoting circulation. Many congregations are highly to be commended in this regard and invariably under those conditions circulation is increased.

In even larger measure in the past year the *Record* has served the Budget and Stewardship Committee as the medium of communication in presenting its facts and pleas, and has increased the measure of its missionary information.

The *Record* continues also to serve the general interest of the Church by its articles upon Church Life and Work, including church news and devotional material.

In this connection your Committee was indebted to the Convener and another member for a careful survey of the contents of the *Record* for a considerable period in comparison with some eight other religious publications. This report, however, contemplated no action.

Attention was also given to the question of enlarging the *Record*, a suggestion which has come from various quarters. This was referred to a sub-committee to ascertain costs. Upon its report it was unanimously agreed to lay the matter on the table.

From the financial standpoint the past year has not been as satisfactory as could be desired. There is a reduction in receipts, and also a small reduction in expenditures. The comparative statement for 1937 and 1938 is as follows:—

	1937	*1938*
Receipts	$11,508.19	$11,119.15
Expenditures	11,800.98	11,744.15

In its circulation abroad the *Record* still serves in keeping before the world the fact of the distinctive place maintained by The Presbyterian Church in Canada, and, as in former years, this service has been supplemented by extended correspondence and the circulation of literature.

Your Committee recommends the appointment of an individual or committee in each Presbytery to give special attention to the circulation of the *Record* in the congregations within bounds.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. M. ROCHESTER,
Secretary.

W. H. FULLER,
Convener.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CORRESPONDENCE WITH OTHER CHURCHES

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

Your Committee begs to submit the report for 1938.

Representation at Church Courts

In 1936 Rev. T. Wardlaw Taylor and Judge A. G. Farrell were the Assembly's delegates to the Hamilton Conference of the United Church. Last year we were for the first time represented at the General Council of that Church, our delegate being Rev. Dr. Stuart C. Parker. He was tendered a very hearty welcome and in felicitous terms expressed himself with respect to the relations between the two Churches.

We were not represented at any of the Presbyterian Assemblies in the United States, except that of the Presbyterian Church in U.S.A., which observed the 150th anniversary of its founding. Rev. Dr. Malcolm A. Campbell of Montreal was our delegate, Dr. Munroe the Moderator, not being able to attend. Dr. Campbell returned in time to report to the last General Assembly. As will be recalled he spoke in highest terms of the reception accorded him, and of the hospitality extended both to himself and to Mrs. Campbell.

Another special event in the Presbyterian Church in U.S.A., was the installation on the 20th of October, 1938, of Rev. William Barrow Pugh, D.D., as Stated Clerk of the General Assembly in succession to Dr. Lewis S. Mudge, retired. The Secretary of the Committee sent a communication conveying congratulations and good wishes.

Church of Scotland

No delegate having been available for this Assembly, a message was sent by the Clerk, Dr. MacNamara, to Dr. J. M. Webster, Secretary of the Colonial Committee. Dr. Webster replied that this message was received and at an evening meeting was conveyed to the Assembly by Rev. David Preston who was one of the two representatives of the Church of Scotland at our Assembly in Ottawa in 1937.

Presbyterian Church in Ireland

Having ascertained that Rev. J. N. McFaul, St. Andrew's Church, Stratford, would be in Ireland at the time of this Assembly, the Clerk issued a commission to Mr. McFaul. In this representation at the Assembly the Church was fortunate, and for Mr. McFaul it was a happy occasion in view of the fact that the Moderator of the General Assembly was his cousin.

Presbyteryan Church, New Zealand

The Secretary had correspondence with a representative of this Church with respect to securing the attendance of a man eminent in the Empire at the Church's Jubilee in 1940. This correspondence bore also the request that our Church send a delegate for that celebration. Considering this improbable your Committee recommends that a message be sent and that the preparation of this be left with the Clerk of the General Assembly and the Secretary of the Committee.

Overture, Westminster Presbytery

Your Committee felt called upon to give attention to this, notwithstanding that it failed of consideration by the General Assembly, no one having appeared to support the Overture.

It concerned giving special attention to representatives of the Presbyterian Churches in the Old Land visiting Canada. Your Committee pointed out in a communication to the Presbytery that practically all such visitors came here under definite arrangement with another Church and were the guests of that body. So far as the Church Offices are concerned, generous attention had been given to visitors, both from Scotland and other parts of the world.

Exhibit, Church of Scotland, Empire Exhibition, Glasgow

We were informed by the Secretary in charge, Rev. James Taylor, that this had been received and assigned to a place in one of the bays of the Church's exhibit. This exhibit of our Church was in the form of a map of the Dominion imposed upon which was a statement of the history of our Church and its connection with the Old Land, statistics, general features of our work and mention of both the Western and Eastern Divisions of the W.M.S., with photographs.

Dr. Josef Soucek

The death of this eminent leader brought us into correspondence with the Church of the Czech Brethren, Czechoslovakia. Having been apprised of this event the Secretary of the Committee sent a message of sympathy, grateful acknowledgment of which was made:

"In the name of our Church we wish to thank you most cordially for your heartfelt sympathy in these days when we are mourning Dr. Josef Soucek, our beloved Senior of the Synod, May God bless his memory."

Churches in Europe

During the year a communication was received from Rev. Dr. Adolf Keller, setting forth the situation in Central Europe, and from Rev. Kusiw with respect to the needs of the Ukrainians in Poland. These definitely set forth the trying circumstances through which the Churches are passing and which call for sympathy and help from their brethren throughout the world.

This year our contribution to the Central Bureau for the Relief of Evangelical Churches in Europe was somewhat larger than usual, amounting to $575. Of this sum $250 was a contribution of the W.M.S. (W.D.)

Your Committee recommends that the contribution to the Bureau for 1939 be $350, an increase of $100. This recommendation is made in view of the special need created by the extraordinary political situation.

Canadian National Committee on Refugees and Victims of Political Persecution

Correspondence in this connection was conducted between the Clerk of the Assembly and Dr. Johnston of Ottawa, the latter having acted by attending the first meeting of the Committee. Your Committee expressed hearty approval of this action. The Canadian National Committee is sponsored by the League of Nations Society in Canada.

In this connection your Committee presents the following recommendation:

That this General Assembly place on record its conviction that, with respect to these refugees, some wise and well-controlled immigration policy be adopted by the Dominion Government, a course which the circumstances and the impulses of humanity seem urgently to require.

World Council of Churches

A communication to Rev. Dr. MacNamara conveyed an invitation to membership in the proposed World Council of Churches. This project developed in connection with the meetings in Oxford and Edinburgh respectively of The Universal Christian Council for Life and Work and The World Conference on Faith and Order. Your Committee therefore begs to lay this before the General Assembly for consideration.

Representation to the Alliance of the Reformed Churches (Western Section)

Your Committee recommends the appointment of Mr. E. W. McNeill as our representative in the place of the late Mr. J. W. Marshall, for the remainder of the term.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. M. ROCHESTER, *Secretary.*

S. BANKS NELSON, *Convener.*

ASSEMBLY'S COMMITTEE ON SUSTENTATION

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

Your Committee, as instructed by the Assembly, prepared and sent down to Synods, Presbyteries and Sessions, an outline of the Regulations governing the Sustentation Fund, and also some additional notes.

The number of reports sent in was again very disappointing. Only eight Presbyteries and thirteen Sessions reported up to May 1st. Owing largely to this fact your Committee can only report progress and recommend as follows:—

1. That the Assembly reaffirms its general approval of the principle of the Sustentation Plan for the maintenance of the ministry of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

2. That the Committee be continued and instructed to furnish the Clerks of Synods, Presbyteries and Sessions with more details as to how the plan is operated.

3. That the Clerks of all three lower Courts be instructed by the Assembly to see that regulations, notes and other literature on the Sustentation Fund sent to them, be read and studied by their respective Courts.

4. That each Clerk of each Court be instructed and directed to send their report to the Convener of the Committee on Sustentation—without fail.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN GIBSON INKSTER, *Convener.*

Toronto, Ont., May 4th, 1939.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE MINISTRY OF THE CHURCH

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The task of this Committee originated in overture No. 32, General Assembly, 1935, page 167, Appendix, Section 2. Reading "That so called mutual eligibility arrangements with Presbyterian Churches in Britain and elsewhere be revised, to become really mutual, so that ministers from those churches be admitted to this Church only on the same terms upon which ministers from this Church are admitted to the Churches concerned".

The Committee was named, when overture was considered, "to consider and bring in a report next year".

Persuant to instructions your Committee reported in 1936, General Assembly, Appendix, page 123, That no state of mutual eligibility exists between this Church and 1. The Church of Scotland. 2. The Presbyterian Church in England. 3. The Presbyterian Church in Ireland.

The Assembly thereupon instructed the Committee to approach these churches with a view to securing a basis of mutual eligibility, of settled ministers.

In 1937 progress was reported.

In 1938 the Committee reported: That the Presbyterian Church in England and The Presbyterian Church in Ireland are not disposed to reopen the matter.

That the Church of Scotland was disposed to listen to our overtures, but asks for information from us, concerning:—

(*a*) Curriculum in Arts and Divinity in this Church.

(*b*) Conditions of admission of ministers from other churches.

(*c*) "Some idea of the number of ministers, if any, admitted to your Church of recent years who do not come up to the academic standard presently required of candidates for the ministry by your Church".

Here the matter rests at present. Your Committee finds it embarrassing to attempt an answer to the third part of the question, for two reasons:—

1. The information is not available in tabulated form.
2. It is a matter of common knowledge that the correct answer to the question would shew a rather high percentage of our ministry.

Your Committee, therefore, finds it impossible to proceed further, until such time as the Church becomes more exacting in the matter of standards of qualification for admission to its ministry.

There is, however, an idea which has occurred to your Committee, that might be worth developing, namely:—the working out of a system of exchange, similar to that now in operation in the teaching profession, whereby ministers from each church might be enabled to spend periods of service in the ministry of the other, while retaining their status in their respective churches. We are of the opinion that such an arrangement might prove advantageous, especially to our younger men, enabling them to gain valuable experience abroad which would tend to widen the culture of our ministry. If the Assembly desires to follow this matter up, your Committee is willing to undertake it. If not, nothing remains for the Committee but to ask for its discharge.

Respectfully submitted.

J. B. SKENE, *Convener.*

REPORT OF THE PENSION BOARD

To the Venerable the General Assembly:—

With gratitude to Almighty God, your Pension Board beg leave to submit its Report for the year 1938.

The Pension Fund has now been in operation for twelve years and during that period it has passed through all the difficulties of the trying age through which we are passing. These years of difficulty have had an adverse influence on the progress of the Fund. However, we believe that the Fund has made good progress, all things being considered.

At the beginning we only had $463,000.00 when the division was made at the time of the disruption. At the present time we have reached the $880,045.93 mark.

The number of rate-paying ministers now connected with the Fund is 304.

The number of non-rate-paying ministers is 62.

The number of W.M.S. Missionaries connected is 31.

The number of annuitants is 79.

The number of widow annuitants is 85.

It is our sad and painful duty to report that the following ministers, annuitants and rate-payers have been called to their reward during the past year:—The Reverend Donald MacOdrum, B.A., D.D., died July 20, 1938; Rev. W. B. MacCallum, died November 2, 1938; Rev. David Anderson, B.A., died September 21, 1938; Rev. T. D. McCullough, M.A., died December 1, 1938; Rev. W. J. Fowler, M.A., B.D., died October 23, 1938; Rev. G. E. Lougheed, B.A., died December 19, 1938; Rev. W. G. Hanna, B.A., died January 27, 1939; Rev. R. J. Millar, died February 24, 1939; Rev. S. C. Graeb, died March 31, 1939.

Others not connected with the Fund:—Rev. Bela Bucsin, died July 6, 1938; Rev. F. W. Tingley, died December 27, 1938; Rev. William E. Daly, died January 29, 1939; Rev. James Kelley, died March 9, 1939, Rev. R. A. Rayson, died May 13, 1939

Your Board feels deeply impressed with this large number of faithful servants who have fallen from the ranks by death during the past year; a grim reminder of the uncertainty of life and the great need there is for young men to come forward and take their places.

Objective

When the present Pension Plan was adopted by the General Assembly, in 1921, and finally adjusted to the personnel of the Church, after the disruption, in 1927, it set as its goal a pension of $1,000.00 after 40 years of service and reaching the age of 70 for ministers and $500.00 for widows and orphans, and in order to reach this goal, the plan calls for rates from ministers, interest on endowments, 5% from the budget and contributions from congregations according to the following scale:—

"All charges having the services of a minister and paying stipend, are requested by Act of the General Assembly to pay into the Pension Board Treasury according to the following sliding scale, *viz.*:—"That charges receiving aid, that is those charges that pay less than $1,800.00 a year, pay into the Fund an amount equal to 2 per cent of the stipend they pay to their ministers; that charges paying $1,800.00 and under $2,500.00 pay an amount equal to 3 per cent into the Pension Fund, and that charges paying $2,500.00 a year stipend and up, pay an amount equal to 5 per cent into the Pension Fund each year."

The experience of the Fund depending upon its revenue from these four sources has been disappointing. Regarding the rates for ministers, we find that there is the large sum of about $18,000.00 in arrears.

The interest on the endowment has proved most satisfactory. Thanks to the careful investment of those charged with this responsible duty.

The contributions from congregations have been most disappointing, as not very many are feeling the responsibility to the Church of paying according to the sliding scale stated above. Receipts from this source during 1938 amount to the small sum of $2,511.25, as follows:—

Payments Made by Congregations

1938			
Feb.	1	St. Andrew's Church, Kingston, Ont.	$150.00
"	4	First Church, Montreal, Que.	200.00
"	11	St. John's Church, Newfoundland	175.00
Apr.	2	First Church, Stellarton, N.S.	60.00
Dec.	31	St. Elmo Church, Presbytery of Glengarry	36.50
1939			
Jan.	7	St. Andrew's Church, Fredericton, N.B.	76.95
"	7	Robertson Church, Vancouver, B.C.	44.70
"	9	Central Church, Hamilton, Ont.	282.00
"	11	St. Andrew's Church, Toronto, Ont.	400.00
"	12	Knox Church, Toronto, Ont.	300.00
"	16	Kirkwall Church, Hamilton Presbytery	15.00
"	16	St. Paul's Church, Hamilton, Ont.	225.00
"	23	St. Edward's, Beauharnois, Que.	54.00
"	24	St. Giles Church, Ottawa, Ont.	138.10
"	25	St. Andrew's Church, Ottawa, Ont.	55.00
"	25	West Flamboro Church, Hamilton Presbytery	24.00
"	30	St. James Church, Charlottetown, P.E.I.	125.00
"	31	St. Andrew's Church, Kingston, Ont.	150.00
			$2,511.25

Your Pension Board is hoping that soon the contributions to the Pension Fund will be considerably increased.

Legacies

Statement of bequests received from February 1st, 1938, to January 31st, 1939.

Isabel M. Archibald	$ 500.00
John Rutherford	225.00
Daniel Waters	5,000.00
Col. J. R. Moodie	1,000.00
	$6,725.00

Emergency Fund

It is difficult to put into words the urgent need there is in the Church at the present time to have means whereby help can be given to ministers who fall by the way through illness, or widows whose husbands were not connected with the Fund, who find themselves in difficult and trying conditions. Your Board needs, at least, from $3,000.00 to $5,000.00, annually.

Your Board would also like to bring to the attention of the ministers of the Church the great service they might render to this Fund by bringing it to the attention of some within their congregations who may be anxious to know where they might best leave their money that would do the most good for the Church. Also there

may be quite a number in the Church who are dependent upon the interest of the money they possess and who might invest it in the Pension Fund of The Presbyterian Church in Canada and thereby have better security and just as high interest on their money, and when they are gone the principal to remain with the Fund.

PENSION FUND—ANNUITIES PAID, 1938

Year Ending January 31st, 1939

Ministers		Paid
Anderson, Rev. David	Toronto, Ont. (Deceased)	$180.00
Anderson, Rev. J. D.	Montreal, Que.	600.00
Atkinson, Rev. G.	Toronto, Ont.	251.25
Bennett, Rev. J. H.	Goderich, Ont.	561.50
Barnes, Rev. E.	Duncan, B.C.	60.25
Beaton, Rev. L.	Toronto, Ont.	567.90
Boyle, Rev. R.	Paris, Ont.	370.00
Bradford, Rev. C.	United States	92.44
Brown, Rev. Hugh	Havelock, Ont.	382.50
Budge, Rev. A. L.	Hamilton, Ont.	600.00
Cameron, Rev. D. G.	Swift Current, Sask.	367.49
Cameron, Rev. Hugh	Ottawa, Ont.	600.00
Campbell, Rev. D.	New Westminster, B.C.	346.69
Campbell, Rev. M. C.	Toronto, Ont.	120.00
Campbell, Rev. Neil	Barrie, Ont.	228.13
Colquhoun, Rev. J. G. A.	Moncton, N.B.	240.00
Craise, Rev. A.	Sackville, N.B.	600.00
Cree, Rev. M. F.	Ailsa Craig, Ont.	133.65
Cropper, Rev. J. B.	Owen Sound, Ont.	600.00
Currie, Rev. D. H.	Port Dover, Ont.	349.00
Dodds, Rev. Thos.	Toronto, Ont.	438.45
Drumm, Rev. A. H.	Hamilton, Ont.	600.00
Duncan, Rev. G. P.	Toronto, Ont.	600.00
Elder, Rev. John	London, Ont.	96.00
Esler, Rev. A.	Paris, Ont.	138.05
Fisher, Rev. Peter	Olds, Alta.	350.00
Forbes, Rev. Alex.	Toronto, Ont.	600.00
Fowler, Rev. W. J.	Montreal, Que. (Deceased)	581.24
France, Rev. Wm.	Markham, Ont.	81.80
Fraser, Rev. J. Keir	Alberton, P.E.I.	295.00
Glassford, Rev. T. S.	Alberni, B.C.	600.00
Graeb, Rev. S. C.	Toronto, Ont. (Deceased)	240.00
Graham, Rev. D. J.	Calgary, Alta.	219.00
Grant, Rev. H. R.	Fort William, Ont.	324.65
Hanna, Rev. W. G.	Toronto, Ont. (Deceased)	352.51
Herdman, Rev. A. W. K.	Brantford, Ont.	600.00
Honeyman, Rev. Robt.	Durham, Ont.	427.92
Hosie, Rev. John	St. Thomas, Ont.	347.48
Innis, Rev. Bryce	Vancouver, B.C.	192.00
Jaffray, Rev. J. M.	Toronto, Ont.	43.00
Johnston, Rev. Robt.	St. Catharines, Ont.	270.00
Kellock, Rev. J. McC.	United States	503.56
Larkin, Rev. F. H.	Paris, Ont.	600.00
Lawrence, Rev. S.	Whitby, Ont.	400.00
Lee, Rev. E.	Winnipeg, Man.	171.00
Lindsay, Rev. J.	Whitby, Ont.	488.00
Lister, Rev. D.	Scotland	220.00
Lougheed, Rev. G. E.	Brandon, Man. (Deceased)	234.80
Lowry, Rev. C. H.	Toronto, Ont.	234.00
Macdonald, Rev. Ewen	Toronto, Ont.	237.67
Mackay, Rev. G. J.	Mimico, Ont.	417.50
MacLean, Rev. H. N.	Vancouver, B.C.	288.00
MacLeod, Rev. J. W.	England	60.48

PENSION FUND—ANNUITIES PAID, 1938—*Continued*

Ministers		Paid
McGregor, Rev. Geo.	Prescott, Ont.	$174.00
McKenzie, Rev. D. A.	South Monaghan, Ont.	433.50
McKenzie, Rev. W. T.	Paris, Ont.	279.68
McKnight, Rev. R.	Moose Jaw, Sask.	165.00
McMullen, Rev. A. J.	Markham, Ont.	420.05
McNabb, Rev. P.	Victoria, B.C.	400.00
McNair, Rev. John	London, Ont.	413.99
McQueen, Rev. E.	Victoria, B.C.	313.77
Millar, Rev. J. A.	Lachute, Que. (Deceased)	246.88
Munro, Rev. D.	North Battleford, Sask.	202.50
Murray, Rev. Allister	Sherbrooke, Que.	457.50
Mustard, Rev. J. A.	Toronto, Ont.	361.36
Oswald, Rev. Thos.	New Westminster, B.C.	390.00
Paterson, Rev. Robt.	Glenboro, Man.	180.00
Reid, Rev. W. D.	Westmount, Que.	600.00
Simons, Rev. Wm.	Edmonton, Alta.	330.00
Simpson, Rev. J. L.	England	487.49
Simpson, Rev. Robt.	Brooklin, Ont.	102.50
Skene, Rev. James	Norwich, Ont.	152.99
Steven, Rev. J.	Montreal, Que.	202.48
Sutherland, Rev. A.	Priceville, Ont.	192.00
Taylor, Rev. T. W.	Goderich, Ont.	538.75
Thomson, Rev. W. McC.	Durham, N.S.	144.00
Townley, Rev. D. J.	Northern Ireland	156.00
Walker, Rev. D.	Victoria, B.C.	72.00
West, Rev. W. J.	Stratford, Ont.	385.00
Whillans, Rev. Geo.	Westmount, Que.	600.00
Wilson, Rev. Thos.	Vancouver, B.C.	600.00
		$27,504.36

Widows and Orphans		
Annand, Mrs. M. A. R.	Paris, Ont.	$300.00
Beattie, Mrs. W. T.	Winnipeg, Man.	300.00
Boyd, Mrs. A.	Port Arthur, Ont.	200.00
Burnett, Mrs. E. (3 children)	Niagara Falls, Ont.	375.00
Campbell, Mrs. A. U.	Chatham, Ont.	300.00
Cameron, Mrs. A. G.	Ottawa, Ont.	256.25
Clay, Mrs. W. L.	Victoria, B.C.	250.00
Cockburn, Mrs. J.	St. Catharines, Ont. (Deceased)	75.00
Colquhoun, Mrs. P. M.	Havelock, Ont.	108.00
Craw, Mrs. W. W.	Toronto	300.00
Crawford, Mrs. M. R.	United States	300.00
Dawson, Mrs. A.	Halifax, N.S.	300.00
Douglas, Mrs. R. J.	New Westminster, B.C.	300.00
Drysdale, Mrs. B.	Montreal, Que.	300.00
Fee, Mrs. E. E.	Peterborough, Ont.	300.00
Ferguson, Mrs. Alex.	Halifax, N.S.	300.00
Ferguson, Mrs. H. E.	Chesley, Ont.	300.00
Fletcher, Mrs. P. E.	Hamilton, Ont.	56.25
Fowler, Mrs. W. J.	Montreal, Que.	300.00
Gibson, Mrs. L. B.	Toronto, Ont.	300.00
Goforth, Mrs. Jonathan	Toronto, Ont.	200.00
Greer, Mrs. J.	Belfast, Ireland	300.00
Hanna, Mrs. R. M.	Toronto, Ont.	200.00
Hannahson, Mrs. A. E.	Strathroy, Ont.	300.00
Hardy, Mrs. M. F.	Vankleek Hill, Ont.	354.00
Hemphill, Mrs. M. A. (2 children)	Hamiota, Man.	300.00
Henderson, Mrs. I. A.	Chatham, N.B.	300.00
Hewitt, Mrs. M.	Fergus, Ont.	200.00
Hillocks, Mrs. S. B.	Calgary, Alta.	200.00
Hirst, Mrs. E. E.	England	300.00
Hutchinson, Mrs. C.M.	New York, U.S.A.	

PENSION FUND—ANNUITIES PAID, 1938—*Continued*

Widows and Orphans		*Paid*
Kennedy, Mrs. J. A.	Port Elgin, N.B.	$165.06
Kippan, Mrs. E.	Stratford, Ont.	300.00
Lang, Mrs. E.	Edmonton, Alta	300.00
Leathem, Mrs. M. E.	Montreal, Que.	300.00
Ledingham, Mrs. R. B. (2 children)	Weston, Ont.	355.00
Lewis, Mrs. E. A.	Toronto, Ont.	300.00
Little, Mrs. A. M.	Westport, Ont.	300.00
Love, Mrs. A. T.	Quebec, Que.	300.00
Lord, Mrs. C. S.	Fenelon Falls, Ont.	300.00
MacBean, Dr. Jessie	Winnipeg, Man.	92.80
MacFarlane, Mrs. A.	Scotland	200.00
MacGillivray, Mrs. A. J.	Belmont, Ont.	300.00
MacGregor, Mrs. A.	Toronto, Ont.	200.00
MacKay, Mrs. D. O.	Elmsdale, N.S.	300.00
MacKenzie, Mrs. J. D.	Montreal, Que.	300.00
MacKenzie, Mrs. Margaret	Lucknow, Ont.	300.00
MacKenzie, Mrs. Mary	Winnipeg, Man.	300.00
Mackintosh, Mrs. F. G.	Cromarty, Ont.	300.00
MacLeod, Mrs. E. A.	St. Anne-de-Bellevue, Que.	300.00
MacLeod, Mrs. K.	Maxville, Ont.	300.00
MacOdrum, Mrs. D.	Brockville, Ont.	158.33
MacPhee, Mrs. S. D.	Avonmore, Ont.	300.00
MacVicar, Mrs. M.	Valleyfield West, P.E.I.	300.00
McConachie, Mrs. J. C.	Toronto, Ont.	300.00
McConnell, Mrs. J. A.	Toronto, Ont.	250.00
McCorkindale, Mrs. T. B.	Toronto, Ont. (Deceased)	187.50
McCullough, Mrs. M. E.	Uxbridge, Ont.	250.00
McCullough, Mrs. T. D.	Cooksville, Ont.	25.00
McGillivray, Mrs. M. R.	Toronto, Ont.	300.00
McQueen, Mrs. C.	Edmonton, Alta	300.00
Marsh, Mrs. D. B.	Milton West, Ont.	250.00
Mathieson, Mrs. P.	Hamilton, Ont.	200.00
Miller, Mrs. A. M.	Toronto, Ont.	300.00
Milne, Mrs. L.	Toronto, Ont. (Deceased)	75.00
Mitchell, Mrs. G.	Cote-des-Neiges, Que	300.00
Mitchener, Mrs. B. M.	Toronto, Ont.	300.00
Muir, Mrs. B.	New York, U.S.A.	300.00
Oliver, Mrs. A. S. (1 child)	Rodney, Ont.	330.00
Paterson, Mrs. J. J.	Sarnia, Ont.	250.00
Patterson, Mrs. Wm.	Toronto, Ont.	300.00
Polley, Mrs. C. M.	Haverhill, Mass., U.S.A.	168.75
Potter, Mrs. J. G.	Montreal, Que.	200.00
Pritchard, Mrs. J. A.	North Wales, Great Britain	277.42
Reeves, Mrs. A. C.	Toronto, Ont.	300.00
Reid, Mrs. H. O.	Toronto, Ont.	300.00
Richardson, Mrs. W. G.	Waterloo, Ont.	250.00
Robertson, Mrs. D. A. (3 children)	Toronto, Ont.	406.26
Robson, Miss Bertha	Glenmorris, Ont.	52.76
Rogers, Mrs. T. H.	Toronto, Ont.	300.00
Scott, Mrs. G. S. (1 child)	Ingersoll, Ont.	342.00
Scott, Mrs. R. S.	Toronto, Ont.	300.00
Shaver, Mrs. J. A.	Montreal, Que.	300.00
Sinclair, Mrs. L.	Regina, Sask.	300.00
Smith, Mrs. M. M. C.	Thamesford, Ont.	300.00
Smith, Mrs. Mary McK.	Toronto, Ont.	300.00
Smith, Mrs. S. G. (1 child)	Belfast, Ireland	322.50
Smith, Mrs. W. G.	Apsley, Ont.	200.00
Sutherland, Mrs. Mary	Edmonton, Alta	300.00
Turnbull, Mrs. L. J.	Hamilton, Ont. (Deceased)	300.00
Wilkie, Mrs. A. W.	Toronto, Ont.	300.00
		$24,182.88

SUMMARY

A. and I. Payments		$27,504.36
W. and O. Payments	$24,182.88 75.00	
Less Returned		24,107.88
Total Paid		$51,612.24

PENSION FUND CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET
AS AT 31ST JANUARY, 1939

Assets

Cash in Bank		$ 19,657 31
Investments (book value):		
Bonds and Debentures	$783,198.20	
Mortgages	22,764.40	
		805,962.60
Interest Due and Accrued on Investments		11,504.64
Receivable from Church Budget	$37,921.38	
Receivable from Church Budget (subsequently paid in March, 1939)	5,000.00	
		42,921.38
		$880,045.93

Liabilities

Capital Account as at 31st January, 1938		$789,265.83	
Additions thereto:			
Ministers Rates	$14,274.65		
Congregations	2,511.25		
W.M.S. (W.D.)	1,309.88		
Estates	6,725.00		
		24,820.78	
		$814,086.61	
Deduct: Refunds		662.93	
			$813,423.68
Capital as at 31st January, 1939			24,471.87
Reserve Fund		$52,372.75	
Income Account as at 31st January, 1938			
Add:			
Interest on Investments	$35,451.47		
Bank Interest	737.24		
Interest on Amount Owing from Budget	1,458.52		
Interest *re* Ministers Rates	43.17		
From Church Budget, 1938	5,000.00		
		42,690.40	
		$95,063.15	
Deduct:			
Annuities	$51,612.24		
Expenses	1,300.60		
		52,912.84	
			42,150.31
Balance as at 31st January, 1939		$36.07	
Emergency Fund as at 31st January, 1938		36.00	
Deduct: Grants			.07
Balance as at 31st January, 1939			$880,045.93

RECOMMENDATIONS

Re RETIRED MINISTERS

THAT the Rev. S. D. Jamieson, of the Presbytery of Peterborough, age 72 years, with 40 years of service, be granted leave to retire, with an annuity of $600.00, commencing November 1, 1939.

THAT the Rev. Henry S. Graham, of the Presbytery of Halifax and Lunenburg, age 71 years, with 37 years of service, be granted leave to retire, with an annuity of $573.75, commencing June 1, 1939.

THAT the Rev. Thomas Orr Millar, B.A., of the Presbytery of Orangeville, age 69 years and 5½ months, with 36 years 7½ months of service, be granted leave to retire, with an annuity of $353.30, commencing June 1, 1939.

THAT the Rev. David Ritchie, Presbytery of Sarnia, age 66 years and 7½ months, with 33 years and 2½ months of service, be granted leave to retire, with an annuity of $383.46, commencing June 1, 1939.

THAT the Rev. William Stuart Wright, B.A., Presbytery of Paris, age 74 years and 6 months, with 40 years of service, be granted leave to retire, with an annuity of $600.00, commencing on the date of his retirement from Innerkip.

THAT the Rev. R. L. Ballantyne, Presbytery of Montreal, age 69 years and 4½ months, with 44 years and 11 months of service, be granted leave to retire with an annuity of $600.00, commencing June 1, 1939.

THAT the Rev. Jenkins Burkholder, Presbytery of Brockville, age 66 years in August, 1939, with 39⅓ years of service, be granted leave to retire (ill-health), with an annuity of $424.80, commencing June 1, 1939.

THAT the Rev. Samuel Lundie, Presbytery of Toronto, age 75 years and 4 months, with 26¼ years of service, and that he be granted leave to retire with an annuity of $279.69, commencing June 1, 1939.

THAT the Rev. George W. Extence, Presbytery of Montreal, age 75 years, with 25 years of service, be granted leave to retire with an annuity of $268.75, commencing June 1, 1939.

Re WIDOWS

THAT an annuity of $300.00 be granted to Mrs. Donald MacOdrum, widow of the late Reverend Donald MacOdrum, D.D., late Moderator of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, commencing June 20, 1938.

THAT an annuity of $300.00 be granted to Mrs. J. F. Polley, widow of the late Rev. J. F. Polley, commencing June 8, 1939.

THAT an annuity of $300.00 be granted to Mrs. W. J. Fowler, widow of the late Rev. W. J. Fowler, commencing October 23, 1938.

THAT an annuity of $300.00 be granted to Mrs. T. D. McCullough, widow of the late Rev. T. D. McCullough, commencing December 2, 1938.

THAT an annuity of $200.00 be granted to Mrs. Robert James Millar, widow of the late Robert James Millar, commencing February 24, 1939.

THAT an annuity of $300.00 be granted to Mrs. W. G. Hanna, widow of the late Rev. W. G. Hanna, commencing January 27, 1939.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN LINDSAY,
Chairman.

D. T. L. McKERROLL,
Executive Secretary.

REPORT OF THE DEACONESS COMMITTEE AND BOARD OF MANAGEMENT OF THE PRESBYTERIAN MISSIONARY AND DEACONESS TRAINING HOME

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Annual Report of the Missionary and Deaconess Training Home is divided under the following headings:—

RESIDENCE AND STUDENTS

Twenty-two students have been resident in the Training Home during the past year. Of these, six were enrolled in the regular Deaconess Course; one, a nurse (W.M.S. candidate), as a one-year student; two in the one-year Volunteer Workers' Course; two (one on furlough) for Refresher Courses; and three in Special Courses in preparation for Church work. The remainder have been students in the various faculties of The University of Toronto.

Residential life has been pleasant, orderly, and systematic; uninterrupted by illness.

GRADUATES AND EMPLOYMENT

Your Committee is happy to report that all of the graduates of last year, free to accept posts, have been placed during the year. The five Students, therefore, who graduate in April face the future with renewed hope and courage. During the year, two Deaconesses in active service married, and two turned to other occupations and studies. There are, we estimate, fifty women workers employed under the various Boards and Committees of the Church.

LECTURES AND STAFF

Again we bring to the attention of the Church, the generous support of the local ministry, who, in addition to their own work, have undertaken the instruction of our Deaconesses-in-Training.

The Rev. W. T. McCree, Rev. E. Foreman, Rev. Dr. Paulin, Rev. Dr. Parker, Rev. Dr. Duncan, Rev. J. B. Skene, Rev. C. K. Nicoll, and Rev. Dr. Kannawin, have indeed earned the sincere thanks of the Chairman and his Studies' Committee; and of the students themselves.

Mrs. Goldwin Smith, whose honorarium is provided by the W.M.S. (W.D.) and the Training Home, has given five hours per week to Bible Study with unbroken regularity and zeal. Typing and Public-speaking Courses have been carried on as usual, and the Courses offered by the Social Service, and Extension Departments of The University of Toronto, and the School of Missions, with its pleasant contact with world-missions, have given the students a most varied and interesting Course.

The extension of the Term every alternate year (May and June) is the solution of a problem of obtaining experience in practical work; and includes both the Senior and Junior Classes.

ALLOCATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Your Committee draws the attention of Assembly to the fact that our income from Maintenance of $5,259.40 exceeds the allocation ($3,600.00), and that therefore, the School is 50 per cent self-sustaining. We now carry our own bills for food, laundry, hot-water heating, electric light, telephone, gas, and the general up-keep

of the house and its furnishings. This includes the painting of the interior of the house, bed-rooms, halls, and kitchens. In addition, we are responsible for $200.00 toward the education of our Students-in-Training.

No large expenditure is anticipated for the coming year, other than the installation of proper refrigeration; for which adequate provision is already made.

Special Thanks

No Report of the year would be complete without tribute being paid to Miss Elizabeth Burns. To forego the privacy and freedom of her own home to take over the responsibilities of the Training Home for four months, during the absence of the Principal, was a sacrifice not to be lightly accepted.

The Deaconess Board takes this opportunity of expressing their deep appreciation of this service.

Policy

1. Transfer of the Training Home Accounts, Books, Special Funds, and Bonds to the Church Office has relieved the Training Home of responsibility and routine work, for which no staff was provided.

2. *Deaconess Sustaining and Retiring Fund:* The Deaconess Board inaugurated this year a fund which expresses a long-due responsibility for the welfare of the Deaconess Order.

Source: An initial sum of $500.00, augmented by 3 per cent of the earnings of the Home (paid monthly), provides for the slow but systematic growth of this fund, with no additional financial strain on the Church.

Application: Only those Deaconesses *not* eligible for the Pension and Retiring schemes of the W.M.S. may benefit from this fund.

Recommendation

The Deaconess Committee and Board of Management recommend:

1. In view of the correspondence initiated by a Special Committee of the United Church to enquire into Pension Schemes, Retiring Funds, and Rest Homes for Women Workers of the Church, and in view of the recent request received from the Alumnæ of the Deaconess Order of The Presbyterian Church: That the whole question of care of the Women Workers of the Church be reviewed by a Special Committee appointed by the General Assembly.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

WINIFRED FERGUSON, *Principal.* EDGAR FOREMAN, *Chairman.*

The following Courses were taken by students:—

Diplomas and Certificates Awarded as Follows:—

1. Two-year Missionary and Deaconess Courses:—

Graduating Class with School Diploma:—

Miss Pauline W. Esler	Vancouver, B.C.
Miss Thelma G. Martin	Sudbury, Ont.
Miss Marjorie K. MacKay	Bracebridge, Ont.
Miss Louise Reith, M.A.	Tara, Ont.

2. First Year Class with Certificates:—

Miss Helen J. Patterson	Aurora, Ont.
Miss Isabel D. Scott	Galt, Ont.
Miss Isobel H. Sym	Weirdale, Sask.

3. Special Students—Volunteer Workers' Course (one year):—

(Mrs. G. M.) Kathleen Lamont	Exeter, Ont.
Miss M. Elaine Stanbury	St. Catharines, Ont.

4. Preparatory Course Students:—

Miss Pansy Yeung, Arts Course, University of Toronto	Vancouver, B.C.
Miss Mary Begg, Cecilia Jeffrey School, (Central Technical School, Toronto)	Kenora, Ont.
Miss Mary Green, Cecilia Jeffrey School, (Central Technical School, Toronto)	Kenora, Ont.

Scholarships and Prizes Awarded

General Proficiency (Graduating Class)	Miss Marjorie K. MacKay
General Proficiency (First Year)	Miss Louise Reith, M.A.
The Alumnæ Scholarship	Miss Pauline W. Esler
Special Awards for Excellence in Year's Work (First)	Miss Marjorie K. MacKay
	Miss Pauline W. Esler
	Miss Thelma G. Martin
(Second)	Miss Isobel D. Scott
	Miss Louise Reith, M.A.
Special Awards for Volunteer Workers' Course	(Mrs. G. M.) Kathleen Lamont
	Miss M. Elaine Stanbury

ASSIGNMENTS

The following assignments have been approved and accepted by the Board:—

Miss Margaret Ross, W.M.S. (E.D.), Whitney Pier, C.B.
Miss Georgie Roy, R.N., W.M.S. (W.D.), Last Lake, Alta.
Miss M. Todd, W.M.S. (W.D.), Red Deer, Alta.
Miss Fay F. McTavish, W.M.S. (W.D.), Chinese Christian Institute, Toronto.
Miss Rosetta W. Moors, W.M.S. (W.D.), Prestville, Alta.
Miss Anne K. MacVicar, W.M.S. (E.D.), Chalmers Jack Mission, C.B., N.S.
Mrs. Gillespie (Part-time) W.M.S. (W.D.), North Toronto.
Miss Anna Ross, Knox Presbyterian Church, Toronto.
Miss Isobel Sym, R.N., W.M.S. (W.D.), Weirdale, Sask.
Miss Thelma G. Martin, W.M.S. (E.D.), British Guiana.
Miss Marjorie K. MacKay, W.M.S. (W.D.), Birtle Indian Residential School, Man.

BURSARIES, SCHOLARSHIPS AND DONATIONS

W.M.S. (Western Division)	$100.00
W.M.S. (Eastern Division)	50.00
Thornton, Baxter & Ivy (W.M.S.)	16.75

Designated Missionaries and Deaconesses, Graduates and Short-Course Students of the Training Home, 156 St. George Street, Toronto

Part-time	Dr. Jessie MacBean	Agincourt, Ont.	1905
Part-time	Mrs. R. G. Hammill (Euphemia Cromar)	197 Albany Ave., Toronto	1908
Graduate	Elizabeth Whitehead	115 Alcina Ave., Toronto	1908
Part-time	Mrs. W. Clarke Elliott (E. C. MacDougall)	Sussex, N.B.	1911
Graduate	Elizabeth Gibson	134 Carlton Street, Toronto	1911
Graduate	Agnes Johnston	R.R. No. 2, Millbrook, Ont.	1911
Conferred	Marie C. Rattee (deceased)	Formerly Redemptive Home	1911
Conferred	Martha Smith (deceased)	Formerly Knox Church, Toronto	1911
Conferred	Cora Sinclair	95 Ludlow St. W., Saint John West, N.B.	1912
Graduate	Bessie L. Kirkwood	Knox Crescent Church, Montreal	1912
Graduate	Mary Gilchrist	C/o Miss Osborne, 867 College St., Toronto	1913
Graduate	Mrs. Gillespie (Sadie Dick)	413 Strathmore Blvd., Toronto	1913
Graduate	Charlotte Moore	Acton, Ont.	1914
Graduate	Margaret Allan	W.M.S. (W.D.) 43 London Ave., Hamilton, Ont.	1915
Graduate	Marjorie McIlwraith	17 Caroline St. E., Burlington, Ont.	1915

*Graduate	Lily Macarthur	W.M.S. (W.D.), Goderich, Ont.	1916
*Graduate	Kathryn MacDonald	183 Ruby St., Winnipeg, Man.	1916
*Graduate	Frances Laird (deceased)	Toronto	1917
*Graduate	Mrs. Bessie Mitchener	898 Bathurst St., Toronto	1917
*Graduate	Annie Noble	Queen Street East Presbyterian Church, Toronto	1917
		New Glasgow, N.S.	1917
*Graduate	Susan Sylvester	West Flamboro, Ont.	1917
Part-time	Mary Hugill	Kincardine, Ont.	1917
Part-time	Anna McDougall	898 Bathurst St., Toronto	1918
*Graduate	M. Alberta Cruickshank		
*Graduate	Mrs. Dunbar (Margaret McKague)	609 St. Clarens Ave., Toronto	1918
		3740 John R. St., Detroit, Mich.	1919
*Graduate	Jean Roy (R.N.)	Knox Church House, Toronto	1919
*Graduate	Anne Whitby	Florence Crittenden Hospital, Detroit, Mich.	1920
*Graduate	Helen V. Bentley	23 Avenue Rd., Apt. 72, Toronto	1920
		Lauder Ave., Toronto	1920
*Graduate	Louise McMorran	St. Andrew's Church, King St. W., Toronto	1920
*Graduate	Christina Currie	Branksome Hall, 10 Elm Ave., Toronto	1920
*Graduate	Christina Moffat	Redemptive Home, 123 Yorkville Ave., Toronto	1920
Part-time	Jean McGregor	Formerly Knox Church, Toronto	1922
Part-time	Myrtle MacKinnon	W.M.S. (E.D.) Strathcona, N.S.	1922
		R.R. 6, Brantford, Ont.	1923
*Conferred	Mrs. Isabel Currie (deceased)	492 Agnes St., Winnipeg, Man.	1924
*Graduate	Estelle V. McKenzie	W.M.S. (W.D.), C.P. Mission, Jhansi, U.P., India	1926
*Part-time	Mrs. A. Hawtin	Seaforth, Ont.	1928
*Conferred	Mrs. J. C. Howey	357 De l'Epée Ave., Outremont, Que.	1928
*Graduate	Irene Stringer	31419 Baker St., San Francisco, California	1928
*Graduate	Mrs. Hugh Jack (Anna Brell)	Titusville, N.B.	1928
*Graduate	Mrs. C. Ritchie Bell (Margaret Clark)	W.M.S. (W.D.) C.P. Mission, Kobe, Japan	1928
*Graduate	Mrs. R. F. Line (Sybil Crawford)	W.M.S. (W.D.) C.P. Mission, Tansui, Formosa, Japan	1928
*Graduate	Mrs. Albert E. Morrison (Hazel Deane)	W.M.S. (W.D.) C.P. Mission, Taihoku, Formosa, Japan	1928
*Graduate	Jean C. MacLean	The Manse, Rogers Presbyterian Church, Toronto	1928
*Graduate	Dorothy Douglas	107307-110th St., Edmonton, Alta	1928
*Graduate	Margaret M. Ramsay	W.M.S. (W.D.) C.P. Mission, Jhansi, U.P., India	1928
*Graduate	Mrs. J. Watson (S. Murray, B.A.)	W.M.S. (W.D.) Mackay Memorial Hospital, Taihoku, Formosa, Japan	1928
*Graduate	Mrs. W. D. Hildred, (Dorothy Jenkinson)	W.M.S. (E.D.) Noel Road, N.S.	1929
*Part-time	Lily Simpson, R.N.	W.M.S. (E.D.), C.P. Mission, Kobe, Japan	1929
*Part-time	Ethel Chisholm, R.N.	Central Presbyterian Church, Galt, Ont	1929
		Dutton, Ont	1929
*Graduate	Ruby Johnston	421½ State Street, Los Angeles, Calif	1929
*Graduate	Ethel MacDonald	R.R. No. 3, Guelph, Ont	1929
*Graduate	Lois McRae	C/o Rev. Peter Jamieson, Vancouver, B.C.	1929
*Graduate	Mrs. I. Smith (Rose Patton)		
*Graduate	Mrs. R. W. Tanner (Edna Rogers)		
Graduate	Mary Tawse		
Part-time	Mrs. Waugh (Margaret Jamieson)		

*Graduate	Elise Barlow	Church of England Mission, Palm Grove, Princes Town, Trinidad, B.W.I	1930
*Graduate	Mrs. M. Spaulding (Annie Beaton)	138 Browning Ave., Toronto	1930
*Graduate	Ellen I. Douglas	W.M.S. (W.D.) C.P. Mission, Jobat, C.I.	1930
*Part-time	Mary Anderson	W.M.S. (W.D.) C.P. Mission, Kobe, Japan	1930
*Graduate	Isabella T. Hunter	Presbyterian Publications, Toronto	1930
*Graduate	Mrs. Angus Brown (Elizabeth MacDougall)	Dartmouth, N.S.	1930
*Graduate	Mrs. Angus MacKay (Catherine Moodie)	C.P. Mission, Jhansi, U.P., India.	1930
*Graduate	Mrs. L. McLean (Frances Blair)	St. Andrews Manse, Victoria, B.C.	1930
*Graduate	Mrs. Malcolm MacKay (Gladys M. Murphy)	W.M.S. (E.D.) C.P. Mission, Nagoya, Japan	1930
*Graduate	Helen M. Ross	W.M.S. (W.D.) 2126 Osler St., Regina, Sask	1930
*Graduate	Mrs. C. Steinmetz (Beatrice Bernath)	W.M.S. (W.D.) Hungarian Mission, 30 Bernard Ave., Toronto	1930
*Part-time	Mildred Soutar (deceased)	W.M.S. (W.D.) Formerly of Amkhut, India	1930
*Graduate	Mary G. Todd	W.M.S. (W.D.) Red Deer, Alta.	1930
*Graduate	Mrs. M. Fesenko, (Julia Meystrowich)	306 Winona Dr., Toronto	1930
*Graduate	Mrs. J. M. Ritchie (Evelyn Forsythe)	The Manse, Hillsdale, Ont.	1931
Graduate	Mrs. C. D. Armstrong (Anne Hayman)	Truro, N.S.	1931
*Part-time	Hildur K. Hermanson, R.N.	W.M.S. (W.D.) Mackay Memorial Hospital, Taihoku, Formosa, Japan	1931
*Graduate	Mary A. MacKenzie	W.M.S. (E.D.) Glace Bay, Cape Breton	1931
*Part-time	Florence Manzer, B.A.	Nashwaak Bridge, N.B.	1931
*Graduate	Isabel Taylor, A.T.C.M.	W.M.S. (W.D.) C.P. Mission, Taihoku, Formosa, Japan	1931
*Graduate	Mrs. J. R. Waldie (Millicent A. Walker)	Arthur, Ont	1931
*Graduate	Frieda Matthews	W.M.S. (W.D.) Presbytery of Macleod, Shaughnessy, Alta.	1931
		W.M.S. (W.D.) Last Lake, Alta.	1931
*Graduate	Georgie Roy, R.N.	Grand Bay, King's Co., N.B.	1932
*Part-time	Annie Aird	Galt, Ont.	1932
*Part-time	Iris Errey, R.N.	W.M.S. (W.D.) C.P. Mission, Jobat, India	1932
*Part-time	Bessie MacMurchy, R.N.	Furlough Address—Collingwood, Ont.	
*Part-time	Mrs. J. L. Cheshire (Eleanor McKechnie, R.N.)	C.P. Mission, Jhansi, U.P., India	1932
*Part-time	Mary McVey	217 George St., Fredericton, N.B.	1932
*Part-time	Christina Maxwell (deceased)	W.M.S. (W.D.) C.P. Mission, Amkhut, Central India	1932
*Graduate	Martha Hamilton	Huntington, Que	1933
*Graduate	Isabel A. MacDonald	The Manse, Avonmore, Ont.	1933
*Graduate	Mrs. A. A. MacGregor, (Mora McLeod)	Williamstown, Ont	1933
*Part-time	Gertrude M. Sherrick	W.M.S. (W.D.) C.P. Mission, Amkhut, Central India	1933
*Graduate	Roberta E. Smith	Neighbourhood House, Hamilton, Ont	1933
*Part-time	Vesta Gast	Strathroy, Ont	1933

*Part-time...	Alma M. Burdick	W.M.S. (W.D.) C.P. Mission, Tansui, Formosa, Japan	1934
*Graduate....	Grace Irvine	Riverdale Presbyterian Church, Toronto	1934
Graduate....	Mrs. W. H. Waugh (Marian McClive)	1976 Drummond Rd., Niagara Falls, Ont	1934
Part-time...	Edith Taylor	Goderich, Ont	1934
*Graduate....	Elizabeth Walker	St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Peterborough, Ont	1934
Part-time...	Mrs. Wilkie (Jean Forsythe)	Alberton, P.E.I.	1934
Part-time...	Mrs. J. S. Glen	47 Fairlawn Avenue, Toronto	1934
*Graduate....	Margaret Ross	W.M.S. (E.D.) Whitney Pier, Sydney, N.S.	1935
*Graduate....	Ruth Heighton, B.A.	W.M.S. (W.D.) C.P. Mission, Taihoku, Formosa, Japan	1935
*Part-time...	Olwen Davies, B.A.	W.M.S. (W.D.) Girls' High School, New Amsterdam, Berbice, British Guiana	1935
*Graduate....	Mabel M. Booth	W.M.S. (W.D.) 916 Spadina Crescent, Saskatoon, Sask	1935
*Part-time...	Mildred F. Weir, R.N.	W.M.S. (W.D.) Mackay Memorial Hospital, Taihoku, Formosa, Japan	1935
Part-time...	Ruby Walker	Vegreville and Lloydminster, Alta., Presbytery of Edmonton	1935
*Graduate....	Grace E. Wood	Knox Church, Toronto	1936
*Graduate....	Mrs. Andrew Jardine (Marion E. MacLennan)	Freetown, P.E.I.	1936
*Graduate....	Anne M. Storey	Elmvale, Ont	1936
*Graduate....	Gertrude M. Rollo	Vancouver General Hospital	1936
*Graduate....	Florence MacNeill	W.M.S. (E.D.) R.R. 1, Hampton, N.B.	1937
*Graduate....	G. Ione Gordon	Medicine Hat, Alta.	1937
*Part-time...	Mrs. Mildred Gehman, R.N.	W.M.S. (W.D.) C.P. Mission, Szepingkai, Manchuria, via Japan	1937
*Part-time...	Helena W. Gibbs	W.M.S. (W.D.) C.P. Mission, Szepingkai, Manchuria, via Japan	1937
*Graduate....	Fay F. McTavish	W.M.S. (W.D.) Chinese Institute, Toronto	1938
*Graduate....	Rosetta W. Moors	W.M.S. (W.D.) Prestville, Alta.	1938
*Graduate....	Margaret F. Kennedy	W.M.S. (W.D.) C.P. Mission, Bhil Field, India	1938
*Graduate....	Anne K. MacVicar	W.M.S. (E.D.) Chalmers Jack Mission, C.B.	1938
Graduate....	Nellie Smith	W.M.S. Offices, Toronto, Ont.	1938
Graduate....	J. Elizabeth Irving	Preston, Ont.	1938
Vol. Worker.	Dorothy Duncan	Belleville, Ont.	1938
Part-time...	Anna Mackay	Knox Presbyterian Church, Toronto	1938
Graduate....	Pauline W. Esler	Vancouver, B.C.	1939
Graduate....	Marjorie K. MacKay	Bracebridge, Ont.	1939
Graduate....	Thelma G. Martin	Sudbury, Ont.	1939
Graduate....	Louise A. Reith, M.A.	Tara, Ont.	1939
Part-time...	Isobel H. Sym, R.N.	W.M.S. (W.D.) Weirdale, Sask.	1939
Vol. Worker.	M. Elaine Stanbury	St. Catharines, Ont.	1939
Vol. Worker.	(Mrs. G. M.) Kathleen Lamont	Exeter, Ont.	1939

*Designated by The Presbyterian Church in Canada. Corrections in writing will be gratefully received.

REPORT ON REMITS

Re STUDENTS FROM COLLEGES OTHER THAN THOSE OF OUR OWN CHURCH

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The General Assembly in 1938, ordered the following recommendation of the Board of Education to be sent down to Presbyteries for information, and to report to this Assembly (see Minutes 1938, page 36).

"Whereas, The Presbyterian Church in Canada provides adequate facilities for the education of a ministry;

The General Assembly hereby enacts and ordains that all persons applying for the status of Licentiate of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, who have received all or part of their theological education in institutions other than the colleges of the said Church, shall be required to receive further training in one of the colleges of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, and that the extent and duration of the said training shall in each case be determined by the General Assembly."

Reports were received from seventeen Presbyteries. The following Presbyteries report in favour of the Remit:—Kingston, Chatham, Huron, and Kootenay. Thirteen Presbyteries reported as opposed:—Cape Breton and Newfoundland, Pictou, Miramichi, Peterborough, Toronto, London, Maitland, Superior, Moose Jaw, Prince Albert, Saskatoon, Regina, Guelph.

PRESBYTERY OF CAPE BRETON:— "Recommends that the General Assembly take closer supervision of students applying for the status of Licentiates coming into the Church from Colleges other than our own."

PRESBYTERY OF PICTOU:— "1. This Presbytery deeply regrets, that there should be a serious movement towards discriminating between the students who study in the Theological Seminaries in connection with The Presbyterian Church in Canada, and those who study in institutions other than the Colleges of the said Church. At a time, when reciprocity in so many departments of our national life is the 'Order of the Day', such discrimination appears to the Presbytery of Pictou to be turning back the hands of the clock.

2. We would respectfully call the attention of your Venerable Court to the serious fact, that our own seminaries are not graduating students in numbers sufficient to meet the requirements of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

3. While we fully sympathize with the natural desire of our seminaries to train our own theological students, and to settle only thoroughly qualified ministers in our congregations and mission fields, we feel that such discrimination will unduly delay the settlement of fully qualified men in very needy congregations and mission fields.

4. We note, in the Published Report *re* Academic Degrees, the names of a large number of seminaries, whose standing in the Presbyterian Church in any part of the world, is beyond question. It would surely be unfair to the fully accredited graduates of these

seminaries to spend a year in any one of our seminaries in order to justify their academic standing before our Church. It would surely be a needless waste of good material, which might better be employed in our vacant congregations and mission fields.

5. We would, therefore, respectfully suggest, that in the case of persons applying for the status of Licentiate of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, where their academic standing is of the first rank, such applicants be given one full year in some of our many waiting mission fields, with the standing of an ordained missionary, or as an assistant in one of our larger city congregations. Such experience, we feel, would be superior to spending a session in the best Theological Seminary, and would at the same time strengthen the efficient working forces of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

6. Finally, as the Board of Education now has sufficient power to protect the Church from any applicant not adequately equipped, this Presbytery is of the opinion, that no new rule is required."

PRESBYTERY OF PETERBOROUGH:— "In the opinion of this Presbytery the present regulations contained in The Book of Forms are adequate to cover any situation found in the resolution submitted to Presbyteries (page 52, Sections 208, 215, 248) and thus set forth clearly the conditions under which men may be received as Licentiates of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, and we would urge upon Moderators and Presbyteries the necessity of carrying out the requirements of the Church as set forth in the foregoing regulations. In case of doubt each individual case must be referred to the decision of the General Assembly."

PRESBYTERY OF ALGOMA:— "Whereas, in past years, young men looking forward to the work of the ministry in The Presbyterian Church in Canada, have been free to take all or part of their theological education in institutions other than the colleges of the said Church; and

WHEREAS, in the future, others will undoubtedly wish to do so; and

WHEREAS, it is recommended that the General Assembly enact: That persons seeking the status of Licentiate in The Presbyterian Church in Canada, who have received their theological education in institutions other than the colleges of the said Church, shall be required to receive further training in one of the Colleges of The Presbyterian Church in Canada;

The Presbytery of Algoma, in session in Westminster Church, Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario, this fourteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, registers its unanimous disapproval of said recommendation, and expresses the hope that no such un-Presbyterian legislation may ever be enacted by a General Assembly of our Church.

Presbytery considers that the effect of such legislation would probably be to deprive the Church of the services of thoroughly qualified and desirable men who have already completed their academic course, and who would not wish to be compelled to take a further course. They believe that the interests of the Church are sufficiently safeguarded by present legislation.

Further, we would point out that the legislation sought by the recommendation in question discriminates as between Licentiates and Ordained Ministers seeking admission to our Ministry. If further training in the case of Licentiates is to be made compulsory, in all fairness the same rule must be made to apply in the case of Ordained Men."

PRESBYTERY OF TORONTO:— "That while Toronto Presbytery deprecates strongly the reception of persons applying for the status of Licentiate of The Presbyterian Church in Canada who have taken their theological studies in colleges whose standing does not come up to the requirements of our Church, yet it cannot approve of a blanket resolution which would apply to applicants whose full or partial course has been taken at a college that has a recognizedly high standing in the Presbyterian Communions."

PRESBYTERY OF LONDON:— "1. The Board of Education is predominantly made up of representatives of the Colleges, and does not fairly represent the mind of the Presbyteries and Church.

2. We recommend that every application for license be dealt with on its own merits."

PRESBYTERY OF MAITLAND:— "1. In the matter of the proposal of Dr. F. Scott Mackenzie this Court recognizing the merits of the grounds upon which the proposal is based, finds itself unable to approve of the said proposal at this time.

2. This Court approves the requirement that students of other Colleges who apply for the status of Licentiate in our Church be required to take work in one of our Colleges."

PRESBYTERY OF SUPERIOR:— "The Presbytery of Superior meeting in Fort William, on February 28th, discussed this remit from the last General Assembly, and approved it, with the proviso that if possible the proposed regulation should be made somewhat more elastic, in order that the Board of Education might have liberty to grant exemption in cases which it might consider to be worthy of such exemption."

PRESBYTERY OF MOOSE JAW:— "This Presbytery strongly disapproves of the recommendation and is strongly opposed to its adoption."

PRESBYTERY OF SASKATOON:— "Inasmuch as the recommendation of the Board of Education proposes to shelter our Theological Colleges behind a wall of special privilege by compelling our students to attend these Colleges; And inasmuch as compulsion and special privilege is, in our opinion, a most serious departure from the Catholic tradition that has characterized the Presbyterian Church in the matter of theological education;

And inasmuch as such a proposal would, in our opinion, tend to drive some of our most promising students to take their theological education in the colleges of other lands, where, because of this proposed disability against their return to Canada, they would likely remain to carry on their ministry;

And inasmuch as we cannot agree to the assumption that underlies this whole proposal, *viz.:* that The Presbyterian Church in Canada provides adequate facilities for the education of a ministry, which belief we set out in the Overture *re* Theological Training to the General Assembly of 1938;

The Presbytery of Saskatoon at its regular meeting held in St. Andrew's Church, Saskatoon, unanimously agreed to oppose this recommendation of the Board of Education as sent down in Remit No. 6 and instructed its Commissioners to the next General Assembly to support this finding on the floor of the next General Assembly."

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. W. MACNAMARA,
Clerk of Assembly.

REPORT OF THE HISTORICAL COMMITTEE

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Historical Committee begs leave to report of its activities during 1938-1939.

Circular Letter

Early in the year 1939 your Convener issued a circular letter to the members of the Committee and the Conveners of the Synods' Committees in order that conference might be held on particular matters requiring attention and an invitation given for criticism and suggestion. Although all did not avail themselves of this "conference by post", the result was helpful and progressive.

The points under consideration were:

(*a*) Informing all the members as to progress in securing equipment and plans for work in the "Central Depository" situated in part of the Library in Knox College, Toronto.

(*b*) Suggestions whereby duplicates of Records, if not the official copies, might be forwarded to our Central Archives.

(*c*) Inquiry about breaks in the organization, which have been a serious loss to the Historical Treasury of our Church and a weakening of the Committee's power.

(*d*) Information regarding Records of our Church gathered in the Department of Public Records and Archives in the Parliament Buildings, Toronto.

Interesting Particulars

The members of our Church are fortunate because of the valuable store of Presbytery Records and Historical Booklets under the care of Dr. J. J. Talman, a scholarly young Anglican clergyman, the Archivist in the Parliament Buildings. Therefore, when Kirk Sessions are searching for facts regarding their congregations, they will receive courteous attention and correct information should they correspond with him.

The thanks of the Church are due to Mr. W. H. Sandham, Librarian in Knox College, for freely giving of his time and experience in securing equipment and giving suggestions for using the files. Thirteen large packets, some of them holding twenty booklets and others with twenty-one letters and valuable manuscripts, have been placed in safety, ready for the Committee to arrange for their filing. Your Convener has sixteen additional packets ready to be taken to Toronto, several of them containing lists of letters and documents arranged from the large packet from Dr. Robert Campbell, Montreal, being correspondence with the champions of the Churches before the Union of 1875. As soon as possible these packets will be opened and their contents arranged and absolutely secured.

General Interest

Your Committee feels encouraged over many matters coming under its attention during the year. Requests come from far and near for assistance in preparing histories of congregations and Church Courts. Books, papers and relics are presented to enrich the storehouse in Toronto. Two of our Presbytery Clerks have set a good

example: Dr. John McNair, London, presenting fifty-one pages of history, carefully type-written and beautifully bound, being the record of events at the beginning of every congregation within the Presbytery; Dr. Dougan, Trenton, searching through the documents which came to his hand as successor to Dr. R. J. Craig, Clerk of the Presbytery of Kingston, and forwarding several of them to our Archives. One of them is the Registration of a grant of land from the Crown for a manse and burying ground, dated 1848. The Records of the Presbytery of Hamilton (1925-1935) have been bound in a volume containing 587 pages.

The Presbyterian Record has maintained its fine tradition for making a feature of articles on our history and giving attention to inspiring anniversaries. "Torch Bearers of Early Canada" by Rev. John McNab, B.D., "Presbyterian Polity" by Dr. D. J. Fraser, Montreal, and "Look on the Fields" by the Editor are among those to put on file. "A Book of Remembrance" beautifully prepared and bound, by Miss McQuesten, Hamilton, is a narrative of twenty pages, recording the story of the W.M.S. (Hamilton Presbyterial) for the past sixty years. "St. Andrew's Church, Stratford, for 100 years" is the story in a booklet full of interesting facts and photographs of that historic congregation. It was presented by the author, Mr. S. J. Mallion.

Reports from the Synods

Your Convener appreciates the reception of reports from all the Synods. The two farthest west overlooked the historical feature, but will not allow it to go by default this year. The Maritimes, Hamilton and London, and Manitoba held inspiring anniversaries of the English Bible and the National Covenant. The Synods of Toronto and Kingston and of Hamilton and London are in the midst of Centennials, with the pioneer congregations greatly interested. In the report from Saskatchewan no details are given.

Anniversaries to Remember

April 22, 110th anniversary of first missionary to Upper Canada from Glasgow Colonial Society.

April 24, the 100th anniversary of birth of Dr. James Robertson.

June 10, 1840, General Assembly in Ireland formed.

June 22, 1679, the Battle of Bothwell Brig.

July 3, 1817, Presbyterian Synod (Nova Scotia) formed, MacGregor, Moderator.

July 9, the 100th anniversary "Scottish Presbyterian College" (Queens), Kingston.

July 28, 250th anniversary, Relief of Derry.

August 18, 1560, Parliament sanctioned Knox's Confession of Faith.

September 3, 1848, Geddie celebrated the Lord's Supper, New Hebrides.

October 3, 1830, sermon in open air in Zorra.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

AUSTIN L. BUDGE,
Convener.

Hamilton, April 12, 1939.

BOARD OF SABBATH SCHOOLS AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Board of Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies respectfully presents the following report for the past church year.

Your Board met in the Board Room of the church offices, Toronto, on March 23rd and 24th, and reviewed the work of the year.

The General Secretary

The General Secretary reported that throughout the year the office had kept in touch with the work in all parts of the Dominion. He regretted that on account of the condition of his health he had been unable to do the usual amount of field work. He expressed his appreciation of what the members of the Board had done in this connection, making it possible for him to devote all of his time to the office. The Convener, Rev. E. A. Thomson, visited the two eastern Synods, and did considerable field work within that area. Many letters, expressing appreciation of his work, had reached the office.

Besides giving general supervision to the work he had given a course of lectures on Religious Education in The Presbyterian College, Montreal; Knox College, Toronto; and in The Missionary and Deaconess Training Home. He made special reference to the splendid work being done by the Sabbath School superintendents, teachers and officers, all across this far-flung country.

He paid fitting tribute to the efficient service of the Girls' Work Secretary, Miss Violet Tennant, who was untiring in her efforts on behalf of teen-age girls; and the office secretary, Miss Doris Winchester, who, in addition to her regular work, gave much time and attention to the work amongst the children in the Beginners, Primary, and Junior Departments of the Sabbath School.

He announced to the Board that it was his intention to place his resignation before the General Assembly at the forthcoming meeting.

Girls' Work Secretary

Encouragements in this department are many. Reports show an increase in numbers, an increase in the number of rallies held for teen-age boys and girls, and an increase in the numbers attending camp or summer schools. Most encouraging of all, however, is the fact that leaders throughout the Dominion are seeking to deepen the life of their mid-week groups in order that they may be called truly the complement of the Sunday Session.

The relationship of the Girls' Work Secretary to these groups is through correspondence and field work. During the past year, she has visited in the Presbyteries of Hamilton, Maitland, Chatham, London, Lanark and Renfrew, Bruce and Owen Sound. In July, it was her privilege to be guest instructor at the Shoal Lake camps sponsored by the Winnipeg Presbytery. Three Field letters were sent out to all registered leaders. Other material released for the help of leaders comes from the efforts of the National Girls' Work Board of which the Secretary is a member. The *Torch*, a quarterly magazine has been sent to all registered leaders of Canadian Girls in Training in our Church. Besides other material, a New Leaders' Kit has been prepared to replace the Leaders' Book.

It had been planned that the Secretary visit the Western Presbyteries in the fall term. Due to her appointment, however, to attend the Missionary Conference at Madras, these plans were set aside until 1939. The Secretary wishes to express her appreciation to the Assembly's Board of Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies for their part in making it possible for her to attend this great gathering. Delegates from 59 countries met for seventeen days to think and plan further for the "World Mission of the Church." Following this memorable experience, the Secretary visited the mission fields of our Church in India for approximately three weeks.

Synods' Conveners

There were six Synods' Conveners at the annual meeting of the Board. Their reports gave a very comprehensive view of the Sabbath School and Young People's work throughout the Church. The years of depression have left their mark on this department of the Church's work. Some sections still report a falling off in enrolment, but most Presbyteries indicate an upward trend. Continued crop failure, and the shifting population in large sections of the west, have made it difficult to maintain church ordinances in many places. However, there are signs that these obstacles are being overcome and brighter days are ahead. There is great need of missionaries at large who could visit new settlements. Under the direction of the Synod of Saskatchewan, a survey was made of a limited section of the north-western part of the province. Scores of Presbyterian families were found but lack of money forbids the Board of Missions to follow up this survey by opening new mission fields. The Sabbath School by Post is doing much for these scattered families but they do need church ordinances. Tribute was paid to the men on the field, and to the deaconesses supplied by the Women's Missionary Society, for their heroic services. These deaconesses give special attention to the children in the public schools. As in former years there came from all parts a persistent demand for a Boys' Work Secretary. It is sincerely hoped that before long the allocation to this Board will be sufficiently generous to enable it to engage such a worker.

The difficulty of getting reports from every School and Society was a general complaint. Many ministers, superintendents, and presidents are very particular, but their efforts are spoiled by others who either do not send reports at all, or make them out so carelessly, that it is impossible to give a true picture of the work as a whole. Your Board earnestly solicits ministers and elders to give this matter their serious attention.

The following statement from a Presbytery Convener gives some idea what might be expected if reports were received from every congregation. "For the first time in many years we have S.S. and Y.P.S. reports from every congregation within the Presbytery. As a result the statistics have reached a new high in practically every column."

Ten-One-Three Plan

Wherever seriously tried, the Ten-One-Three Plan has given a decided impetus to the work. It has kept before every congregation the different departments that should be found in every well organized Sabbath School. In too many places its suggestions have been ignored. It is gratifying to know that in a number of schools a new standard of efficiency has been reached, teachers have attended more regularly, and there has been an increase in the enrolment and average attendance of pupils. A number of branch schools have been organized.

This is the third year during which the Plan has been in operation and your Board is putting forth an effort to make this a BANNER YEAR. In co-operation with Presbyterian Publications it is giving a beautiful silk banner to the school in each Presbytery that reports the largest percentage increase in enrolment and average attendance during 1939, over the previous year. The winning school is to be determined by the S.S. and Y.P.S. Committee of the Presbytery. It is hoped that through this friendly rivalry many boys and girls, who are attending no other school, may be reached, and that no Presbyterian home will be overlooked. Many schools lack organized classes for young people and adults.

The General Secretary will be pleased to give information regarding the Banner Year Project. Where new schools are unable to pay for Lesson Helps and Papers, the Board will send supplies, free of charge, for the first three months.

Home Department

Believing that there is a great need in our Church for a revival of home religion, your Board has given special attention to the Home Department of the Sabbath School. A special pamphlet has been issued setting forth its purpose, how to organize and conduct. This pamphlet should be studied by every Session.

The Home Department is for those, who, for various reasons, cannot be present at the school session, and yet wish to have a part in the work and in the study of the lesson. Mothers whose duties keep them at home, fathers who find it impossible to attend the school, the aged and infirm, and all who are shut in, are the natural members of this department. In rural sections, when distance, bad roads and lack of conveyance prevent some from attending the school, this department is especially valuable. Where the Sabbath School cannot be continued throughout the cold winter months it keeps the school alive. In all such homes every member of the family should be enrolled.

The Sabbath School by Post, which is very closely related to the Home Department, continues to do an excellent work for isolated homes, where distance makes it impossible to attend Church or Sabbath School. The Synods of Alberta and Saskatchewan have planned to reach more of these homes and to have them placed under the care of the nearest congregation. The names and addresses are sent to the General Secretary, and suitable Sabbath School literature is mailed from Presbyterian Publications. This kind of work is capable of almost unlimited development as there must be hundreds of homes in every province, where parents would appreciate such help for the Christian education of their children. Letters like the following are not unusual:—

"Please accept my sincere thanks for your kindness in sending to me the *Quarterly* for my children. This has been a great help to us and I do sincerely appreciate your goodness."—Mrs. G. T. . . . .

Theological Colleges

Your Board is taking an ever increasing interest in the training of students for the ministry, and welcomes the co-operation of the Theological Colleges. It very greatly appreciates the kindness and generosity of Presbyterian Publications in providing a scholarship for each of the Colleges to be awarded in the department of Pastoral Theology, provided a course of lectures on Religious Education be included in the curriculum. During the past session these lectures were delivered by the General Secretary.

Normal Schools

Recognizing the fact that the public school teacher is invariably an outstanding leader in the community life, your Board has given special attention to the training of these young people for their life work. Many of our Sabbath Schools are deeply indebted to the consecrated efforts of the day school teacher. In the province of Ontario special courses in Bible knowledge are given in each of its seven Normal Schools. One period each week within regular school hours, is given over to representatives of the different denominations. This privilege is peculiar to Ontario, but it is hoped that the other provinces will soon follow its example. We are deeply indebted to the local ministers in Toronto, Peterborough, Ottawa, Hamilton, London, Stratford and North Bay, who gave of their time so freely to conduct these classes.

Week-Day Religious Education

In every province in the Dominion provision is made for the local clergymen to give Bible instruction in the public school to members of their own communion, but very few take advantage of this privilege. Many gave as a reason for not undertaking such a task the lack of a syllabus or course of studies. This need has been met by the issuing of a syllabus covering the eight years of public school instruction. The General Secretary will be pleased to send a copy to any minister who is interested, and to give information regarding the organization of such classes.

Most of the Provincial Departments of Education, and local school boards, are very sympathetic to such work, and your Board urges every minister to seize the opportunity of bringing to all the children of the community the message of the Bible. Such instruction would make the work of the Church much more effective.

Publications

Presbyterian Publications, under the able leadership of Dr. N. A. MacEachern, continues to render an invaluable service to the work of this Board. A few years ago we were dependent on the Presbyterian Churches in the United States for our Sabbath School Helps and Illustrated Papers. Now we have a complete series, written and printed in Canada. Few recognize the full meaning of this achievement.

In this connection there are one or two disturbing tendencies. *First.* The tendency in far too many schools to cut down on the S.S. literature given to the pupils. A few dollars are saved at the expense of efficiency. Where lessons are not assigned, the pupils do no work at home. They naturally conclude that they are not expected to memorize the Golden Text and Catechism, or to become familiar with the text of the lesson. One great need in most homes, where there are boys and girls, is good wholesome literature. The illustrated S.S. papers supply that need. *Second.* The tendency of some schools to get their supplies from interdenominational publishing houses in the United States. These houses offer special inducements, which they are able to do because of their large circulation. Ours is a small constituency and it is, therefore, dependent on the loyalty of our people. Your Board urges every school to get its supplies from Presbyterian Publications, and thus be sure that the rising generation is being grounded in the Theological Standards of our Church. Ministers and elders are asked to give this matter their serious attention.

A number of schools use Departmental Graded Lessons. This is particularly true of the Beginners and Primary Departments. These and all other supplies for Sunday School, Young People's Society, and Church, may be procured from Presbyterian Publications.

Bible Study Tests

Each year, in the month of April, Bible Study Tests are set by the General Secretary of the Board. These Tests cover the previous six months' Uniform Lessons. Your Board regrets to report that very few schools avail themselves of this opportunity to check the knowledge gained by the pupils, and the efficiency of the teaching. The schools that have tried them once look forward to them from year to year. We very heartily commend these tests to the serious attention of all superintendents and teachers.

Memory Work

During the year 3,390 awards for memory work were sent out from the office of the General Secretary. This is a gain of 77 over the previous year. Of this number 198 were for repeating the Shorter Catechism—a gain of 33 over 1938. Seals for repeating Proof Texts were awarded to 26 pupils. Too great emphasis cannot be placed on this all-important work. What is learned in youth is a permanent asset for life.

Special Programmes

Two special programmes were issued during the year—Mother's Day and Rally Day. On each of these occasions a special offering was taken for the missionary work of the Church, at home and abroad. These offerings amounted to $6,020.18, as compared with $5,597.77 for the previous year. The purpose of these special services is not chiefly to raise money, but rather to interest boys and girls in the missionary work of the Church.

Missions

Besides the offerings on Mother's Day and Rally Day, your Board advocates the giving of the offering on at least one Sunday each month to the Missionary Budget of the Church. Most of our schools have adopted this plan, and the church treasurer received $18,621 from this source. A few schools use the duplex envelope and thus give weekly to missions. This is a splendid training for after life, and the Sabbath School is a place of training as well as instruction.

Missionary education is an important function of the Sabbath School. For this purpose your Board advocates the holding of a brief Missionary service at least once a month. Definite information should be given regarding the work of the Church at home and abroad. To assist with this, sets of lantern slides are being prepared. These sets will consist of not more than ten slides, thus making them suitable for use at the regular session of the school. The Church that is not missionary in spirit is doomed to decay and death.

Sabbath School Missionary

Your Board decided to continue the services of Miss Ruby Blyth as Sabbath School Missionary in the Synod of British Columbia. During the past year she has worked with conspicuous success, in the Presbyteries of Kamloops and Victoria. A similar worker is very much needed in northern Ontario and in the three Prairie Synods.

Besides her regular work of visiting homes, canvassing districts, and stimulating the work in new and run-down schools, she carries on a Sabbath School by Post amongst scattered Presbyterian homes throughout the province.

Temperance Education

Presbyterian Publications has assisted very greatly in the matter of temperance education. During the months of October and November five temperance lessons were printed in story form in *The Challenge*, and *Young Canada*. Each story concluded with two questions which the pupils were asked to answer in writing. In schools where superintendents and teachers are interested in this great moral issue, many pupils did as requested. Their names were sent to the General Secretary and they were rewarded with neat card certificates. The importance of this cannot be over-estimated. The intemperate use of intoxicants has destroyed more individuals and homes than war and pestilence combined. Temperance education is the very best method of overcoming this pernicious evil.

Daily Vacation Bible Schools

The Daily Vacation Bible School is the solution of many of the difficulties confronting the Church to-day. A special leaflet has been issued on this subject. The following extract is taken from that leaflet. "Crime takes no holidays. The children have idle time. The Churches, therefore, should redouble their efforts. There is an agency known as THE CHURCH VACATION SCHOOL. It has demonstrated its power to produce results. Following its work families have related themselves to the Church; children have become active members in Sunday School; Church attendance has increased. The Church Vacation School should be considered a necessity in every community as part of its religious education enterprise. The school may be planned by one Church, or by a group of Churches in co-operation."

Send to the General Secretary for a copy of this leaflet and see if a Daily Vacation Bible School would not meet a great need in your community.

The Communicants' Class

The great objective of the Sabbath School is to bring its members into close communion with God and to train them for Christian service. Many schools report additions to the communion roll from its ranks, but far too many have no such results to report.

Has there been a Communicants' Class in connection with your school during the past year? Suitable text-books are available and may be procured from Presbyterian Publications.

Adult Education

A new emphasis is being placed on Adult Education. All over the Dominion groups are being organized for the study of political and economic questions. Should not the Church take advantage of the unlimited possibility of such work? The Adult Bible Class and the Home Department should receive special attention. This would have a very beneficial effect on the work of the Sabbath School, and would greatly increase its enrolment.

Young People's Society

In this time of world unrest, when every nation is talking peace, but preparing for war, young people are looked to with special interest. Almost every European country has compulsory military service. Under these conditions we hail with great enthusiasm a movement for *moral re-armament* which has had its inception amongst the young people of Great Britain. The conviction is that, however, much the nation needs to re-arm in a military sense, a moral and spiritual re-armament is far more necessary if the civilization of the world is to be preserved. The movement has spread with amazing rapidity and is now laying hold on the young people of this continent. Our Young People's Society has paved the way for just such a spiritual movement.

A "Hand Book for Presbyterian Young People" was issued in September, in the compilation of which the young people had a large share. The programme places the emphasis on worship, fellowship, and service.

In almost every Presbytery there is a Presbyterial Society, and in the province of Ontario there is a very active Provincial organization.

Presbyterial rallies, inter-society visitation, debates, and oratorical contests are fostered. In Ontario a province-wide convention was held at which more than a thousand delegates were present.

As a missionary project the Young People's Societies aim at raising five thousand dollars for the work of the Church in India. That this may be done more intelligently a book entitled, "The Church Takes Root in India", was studied as a definite part of the programme. Another book—"Stewardship in the Life of Youth"—was also studied.

The enthusiasm of the young people is very encouraging and augurs well for the future of the Church. The future workers in the Church are now in the ranks of the young people, and they are receiving a training in the Young People's Society for the service that they shall one day render.

Summer Schools and Camps

The Summer School and Training Camp have become an integral part of our yearly programme. We appreciate the generosity of the Women's Missionary Society in placing at our disposal, for this purpose, the school homes at Huntingdon, and Saskatoon, and the buildings formerly occupied by the Cecilia Jeffrey Indian School. Besides these, we have several well equipped camp grounds, four of which are in the province of Ontario. At these different centres hundreds of teen-age boys and girls receive special training. Young people and Sabbath School workers engage in Bible study and discuss new plans and methods. The value of a week or ten days spent thus, cannot be over-estimated. Every school and society should plan to send delegates and to encourage others to go for a worth-while holiday.

Statistics

We had hoped for a more favourable statistical report. There is still a slight falling off in the number of schools and in the total enrolment, but we are pleased

to report a very substantial increase in the number of teachers and officers. The Home Department is growing but there is much room for improvement. The departments of education tell us that there has been a decrease in enrolment in the public schools. This may account for the decrease in the S.S. enrolment. There has been an increase in the givings to missions.

The Presbyterian Record

The Presbyterian Record should be found in every Presbyterian home. Every boy and girl should be familiar with the section on Children and Youth. Your Board wishes to thank the editor for continuing to publish an outline of the Sabbath School lessons.

An Appreciation

It is only fitting that, in concluding this report, we should put on record our sincere appreciation of the faithful work that is being done by the teachers and officers of our Sabbath Schools. The Board may suggest plans, but the results depend on the fidelity of the workers in the local church. To this noble band we acknowledge an indebtedness which we cannot pay.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the General Assembly places on record its sincere appreciation of the faithful services rendered by the Sabbath School teachers and officers who give so freely of their time and talents.

2. That the General Assembly instruct ministers to supervise the making out of the annual report of the Sabbath Schools and Young People's Society, so that there may be greater uniformity and accuracy.

3. That the Lesson Helps, Illustrated Papers, and other Sabbath School supplies provided by the Board through its Editorial Committee, and printed and distributed by Presbyterian Publications, be used by all of our schools.

4. That ministers and elders be enjoined to make 1939 a BANNER YEAR in the Sabbath School, under the Ten-One-Three Plan.

5. That a Communicants' Class be conducted in every congregation at least once during the year.

6. That instruction in the missions of our church be given in every Sabbath School and Young People's Society, and that a monthly, or weekly, offering be taken for the Budget.

7. That the Board of Missions be asked to encourage the Sabbath Schools in all aid-receiving congregations to use our own Lesson Helps and Illustrated Papers.

8. That while not wishing to interfere with any existing Boys' organization which is running successfully, this General Assembly endorses the Boys' Brigade Programme for teen-age boys.

9. That the Board be permitted to ask for nominations to fill the position of General Secretary.

10. That Week-day Religious Education, conducted by ministers and teachers, be heartily commended.

11. That the thanks of the General Assembly be tendered to those ministers who conducted classes in Religious Education in the Normal Schools.

12. That we place on record our appreciation of the services rendered to our Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies by the Editor of Presbyterian Publications, Rev. N. A. MacEachern, D.D., and commend Presbyterian Publications to the loyal support of every congregation.

E. A. THOMSON,
Convener.

W. M. KANNAWIN,
General Secretary.

SUMMARY OF STATISTICS

Sabbath Schools	*1937*	*1938*
Number of Sabbath Schools	1,138	1,135
Number of Teachers and Officers	9,970	10,812
Number on Cradle Roll	11,971	11,759
Number in Home Department	1,515	2,167
Total Enrolment	109,416	108,168
Number Coming into Full Communion	2,677	2,549
Number Using Presbyterian Publications	1,048	1,040
Number of Schools Studying Catechism	759	716
Number of Schools Studying Temperance	729	755
Number of Schools Studying Missions	629	630
Number of Schools Studying Scripture Memory Work	761	746
Number of Awards for Memory Work	3,102	2,727
Week-day Organizations for Juniors and 'teen-age boys and girls	1,114	1,147
Amount given to Mother's Day Fund	$3,032	$3,352
Amount given to Rally Day Fund	$3,225	$3,307
Amount given to Missions	$18,265	$18,621
Amount raised for Local Purposes	$83,210	$81,967
Young People's Societies		
Number of Young People's Societies	653	649
Total Enrolment	18,567	18,165
Amount raised for Local Expenses	$25,224	$26,893
Amount given to Missions	$3,498	$3,419

SUMMARY OF PRESBYTERY REPORTS OF SABBATH SCHOOLS AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES FOR 1938

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NAME OF PRESBYTERY	SABBATH SCHOOLS														YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES			
	No. of Sabbath Schools	No. of Teachers and Officers	No. on Cradle Roll	No. in Home Department	Total Enrolment	No. coming into Full Communion	No. using Presbyterian Publications	No. of Awards Received	Week-day Organizations Juniors and Teen-age	Mother's Day Offering	Rally Day Offering	Amount Given to Missions	Amount Spent for Local Purposes		No. of Organizations	No. on Roll	Amount Spent for Local Purposes	Amount Given to Missions
										$	$	$	$				$	$
Cape Breton and Newfoundland	48	282	247	111	2684	53	47	258	28	84	85	234	1696		26	639	1079	66
Pictou	53	301	231	23	2854	153	48	190	36	80	78	311	1276		39	1063	627	168
Halifax and Lunenburg	17	140	142	26	1307	49	15	26	12	61	49	129	874		11	319	449	136
Saint John	23	146	130	109	1397	42	23	40	15	18	22	113	703		9	223	299	27
Miramichi	22	96	88	20	800	11	17	33	6	17	21	85	376		10	193	701	62
Prince Edward Island	47	240	105	6	2137	61	43	205	8	64	92	199	1010		27	872	754	106
Total	210	1205	943	286	11179	369	193	752	105	324	347	1071	5935		122	3309	3909	565

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

Quebec	13	72	87	50	749	33	10	1	7	26	34	197	532		3	83	464	5
Montreal	45	695	776	130	6897	154	43	147	68	102	134	1314	5540		26	788	1617	93
Glengarry	20	148	195	8	1293	66	19	95	4	47	78	229	1182		12	300	512	86
Ottawa	20	224	439	123	2562	33	19	83	24	331	182	927	2551		16	478	969	137
Lanark and Renfrew	18	145	217	10	1533	79	18	12	21	48	53	192	1157		12	329	864	30
Brockville	22	159	163	18	1325	21	21	7	17	53	59	192	1135		10	291	511	10
Total	138	1443	1877	339	14359	386	130	345	141	607	540	3051	12097		79	2269	4937	361

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

Kingston	18	163	222	5	1428	61	17	42	18	55	63	195	1237		14	385	642	51
Peterborough	27	231	323	12	2503	32	25	51	23	54	64	159	1631		14	409	619	48
Lindsay	21	136	120	7	1305	21	19	43	11	58	51	190	1286		11	279	862	34
Toronto	83	1839	1409	103	18763	406	78	247	169	406	400	4734	13330		64	2223	3257	564
Orangeville	19	127	104	4	1106	22	18	38	9	48	45	124	1093		8	251	264	35
Barrie	31	410	483	....	3887	76	47	202	36	151	159	676	2211		24	808	979	128
North Bay and Temiskaming	18	106	139	30	1212	43	15	16	23	39	39	143	783		9	238	341	....
Algoma	11	98	131	....	1004	20	11	10	12	15	28	120	714		3	90	41	....
Saugeen	14	110	74	....	1123	36	13	40	6	34	32	110	682		10	314	472	98
Guelph	25	402	484	24	4152	130	25	63	33	136	131	909	4197		20	606	862	131
Total	280	3663	3481	185	36483	849	268	752	342	996	1012	7360	27164		177	5603	8339	1089

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

Hamilton	58	742	683	244	8177	122	49	32	106	232	262	1429	7702		45	1153	1509	227
Paris	15	203	286	10	2064	75	15	14	21	47	51	328	2232		13	371	827	177
London	38	378	312	12	3201	67	34	61	27	128	120	519	2814		25	575	737	63
Chatham	20	244	344	17	2864	51	19	6	32	81	72	465	2185		15	407	959	158
Sarnia	25	263	284	2	2330	75	24	49	17	83	68	569	2245		18	514	901	103
Stratford	18	205	320	62	2134	76	17	31	17	62	50	477	1724		14	402	1242	121
Huron	20	160	108	14	921	37	10	9	13	41	41	126	729		6	116	78	10
Maitland	21	178	457	56	2063	38	21	70	20	51	48	189	1028		12	399	351	95
Bruce	31	234	481	56	2662	74	30	79	26	71	69	282	1422		15	463	1176	110
Total	299	3665	3481	185	36485	849	268	752	342	996	1012	7360	27164		177	5603	8339	1089

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Superior	13	182	285		1954	62	12	79	21	38	33	271	1523		6	165	227	25
Winnipeg	17	162	171	8	1715	24	17		30	52	52	203	1168		10	250	113	3
Brandon	22	153	181	8	1747	35	19	59	26	47	58	164	890		8	265	291	17
Total	52	497	637	16	5416	121	48	138	77	137	143	638	3581		24	680	631	45

SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

Regina	19	152	156	12	1603	37	16	87	11	18	19	105	847		7	150	327	....
Moose Jaw	11	81	56	7	701	18	8	15	8	48	38	144	845		4	67	87	16
Prince Albert	16	87	162	472	934	15	12	31	4	15	21	79	306		5	93	65	....
Saskatoon	19	121	88	....	1249	12	15	....	19	29	31	76	926		5	143	72	3
Total	65	441	462	491	4487	82	51	133	42	110	109	404	2924		21	453	551	19

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

Peace River	22	55	31	....	501	....	18	6	12	7	6	13	24		4	101	....	....
Edmonton	28	184	116	24	1922	29	24	38	18	42	41	123	1123		15	340	476	9
Red Deer	20	98	86	40	1018	7	17	30	18	47	39	125	677		7	128	15	....
Calgary	13	148	113	12	1362	40	13	75	19	62	53	402	1624		8	174	260	25
Macleod	8	56	51	8	620	16	9	....	12	18	9	36	608		3	79	173	25
Total	91	541	397	84	5423	92	81	149	79	176	148	699	4056		37	822	924	59

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Kootenay	13	76	126	....	862	10	12	62	18	32	38	121	582		2	39	44	....
Westminster	45	371	295	175	3770	72	38	73	67	137	145	606	3138		22	564	620	121
Victoria	11	86	566	155	807	3	10	12	11	32	38	240	729		6	99	108	....
Total	69	533	987	330	5439	85	60	147	96	201	221	967	4449		30	702	772	121

SUMMARY

SYNODS																		
Maritime Provinces	210	1205	943	286	11179	369	193	752	105	324	347	1071	5935		122	3309	3909	565
Montreal and Ottawa	138	1443	1877	339	14359	386	130	345	141	607	540	3051	12097		79	2269	4937	361
Toronto and Kingston	289	3665	3481	185	36485	849	268	752	342	996	1012	7360	27164		177	5603	8339	1089
Hamilton and London	221	2487	2975	436	25380	565	209	311	265	801	787	4431	21761		159	4527	6830	1160
Manitoba	52	497	637	16	5416	121	48	138	77	137	143	638	3581		24	680	631	45
Saskatchewan	65	441	462	491	4487	82	51	133	42	110	109	404	2924		21	453	551	19
Alberta	91	541	397	84	5423	92	81	149	79	176	148	699	4056		37	822	924	59
British Columbia	69	533	987	330	5439	85	60	147	96	201	221	967	4449		30	702	772	121
Total	1135	10812	11759	2167	108168	2549	1040	2727	1147	3352	3307	18821	81067		649	18165	26893	3419

OVERTURES

No. 1.—Presbytery of Brockville.

Re THE APPOINTMENT OF A VICE-MODERATOR OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

At Prescott and within the Presbyterian Church there on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of September, nineteen hundred and thirty-eight at ten o'clock forenoon, met the Presbytery of Brockville and was duly constituted with prayer.

Sederunt.—Messrs. H. P. Maitland, *Moderator;* Wm. Merrilees, *Clerk;* J. Burkholder, *et al.*

Inter alia.—Mr. Gibson presented an Overture to the General Assembly in *re* The Appointment of a Vice-Moderator of the Assembly and moved, seconded by Mr. Koffend and agreed that it be received and transmitted to the Assembly with the approval of the Presbytery.

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

Whereas, we believe it is the desire of our people that a more efficient plan of service on the part of our Moderator of the General Assembly should be evolved, and

Whereas, the heavy strain of presiding continuously at the many sederunts of the General Assembly is very great, and

Whereas, this important office demands much in travel and a long absence from the Moderator's home church, and

Whereas, we believe a lessening of the burden and a greater economy could be effected.

Therefore, we humbly overture the Venerable the General Assembly meeting at Midland, Ontario, in June next to amend the present procedure of our Church to make possible the election of a Vice-Moderator to share the duties now resting upon this chief office.

Extracted from the Records of the Presbytery of Brockville this twenty-first day of September, nineteen hundred and thirty-eight, by me and certified a true copy.

WM. MERRILEES,
Presbytery Clerk.

Westport, Ont., 21st Sept., 1938.

No. 2.—Synod of Alberta.

Re RETIREMENT AT 70

At Red Deer, and in Knox Presbyterian Church there, on Thursday, the twenty-seventh day of October, nineteen hundred and thirty-eight, the Synod of Alberta met in regular session and was constituted with prayer by the Moderator, Rev. T. A. Rodger.

Inter alia.—On motion of Messrs. Garvin and Walker it was agreed to transmit the following overture to the General Assembly.

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

Whereas, we believe that it has proven in the past to be practical, and other organizations and businesses today recognize it as advisable and practise it;

We, the Synod of Alberta, hereby overture the Venerable the General Assembly, to put into effect by June 1940, the retirement of all paid church officials, appointed by the General Assembly, at the age of seventy.

Extracted from the records of the Synod of Alberta on this the 15th day of November, 1938.

F. D. ROXBURGH,
Clerk of Synod.

No. 3.—Synod of Alberta.

Re BEARING OF COLLEGE TRAINING ON LACK OF VISION

At Red Deer, and in Knox Presbyterian Church there, on Thursday, the twenty-seventh day of October, nineteen hundred and thirty-eight, the Synod of Alberta met in regular session, and was constituted with prayer by the Moderator Rev. T. A. Rodger.

Inter alia.—On motion of Messrs. Taylor and Hollingworth, it was agreed by a standing vote of 11 to 4, to transmit the following overture to the General Assembly:—

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

Whereas, men graduating from our colleges hesitate and even refuse to serve in our church in Western Canada;

And Whereas, the fact indicates a lack of vision of the work of our Church in this part of the Dominion;

We, the Synod of Alberta, humbly overture the Venerable the General Assembly to investigate and determine, how the training of these men in the colleges bears upon this condition.

Extracted from the records of the Synod of Alberta, on this the 15th day of November, 1938.

F. D. ROXBURGH,
Clerk of Synod.

Edmonton, Alta.

No. 4.—Synod of Alberta.

Re MAKING A PERSONAL APPEAL

At Red Deer, and in Knox Presbyterian Church there, on Thursday, the twenty-seventh day of October, nineteen hundred and thirty-eight, the Synod of Alberta met in regular session and was constituted with prayer by the Moderator, Rev. T. A. Rodger.

Inter alia.—On motion of Messrs. Hollingworth and Walker it was agreed to transmit the following overture to the General Assembly.

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

Whereas, we believe that the great mission of our church is not being presented to the Presbyterian people in the Dominion in a way to create sufficient zeal, raise sufficient funds and enlist a sufficient number of men to carry on the work adequately;

We, the Synod of Alberta, humbly overture the Venerable the General Assembly to appoint and send out, through the Church, certain men who are well acquainted with the whole work of our Church, to appeal to our people for an immediate whole-hearted response.

Extracted from the records of the Synod of Alberta on this the 15th day of November, 1938.

F. D. ROXBURGH,
Clerk of Synod.

Edmonton, Alta.

No. 5.—Presbytery of London.

FOR PERMISSION TO ORDAIN GEORGE W. MACKAY, M.A.

At London, and within New St. James Presbyterian Church there, on Tuesday the tenth January, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, which day the Presbytery of London met, and was constituted by prayer.

Inter alia.—The following Overture was unanimously passed by the Presbytery of London at its meeting yesterday and ordered to be sent to the Assembly through the Board of Education, and to be supported before the Assembly by the commissioners to Assembly:

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

Whereas, George W. Mackay, M.A. has served The Presbyterian Church in Canada as a teacher, and as an evangelist in the Mission Field of North Formosa for over a quarter of a century, and

Whereas, he has proved himself to be an effective evangelist among the natives of Formosa, and is highly regarded by the rulers of the land, and,

Whereas, he is under a great handicap in the work in Formosa, in not being a regularly ordained minister, and especially now that he is devoting the whole of his time and energy to evangelistic work,

Therefore the Presbytery of London humbly overtures the Venerable the General Assembly for permission to ordain the said Mr. George W. Mackay, M.A., to the work of the ministry within the bounds of the island of Formosa.

On motion by Dr. MacKay and Charles Carnegy the overture was approved.

Extracted from the Minutes of the Presbytery of London this eleventh January, 1939.

JOHN McNAIR,
Presbytery Clerk.

London, Ont.

No. 6.—Presbytery of Montreal.

Re METHOD OF ELECTING MODERATOR

At Montreal, Que., and within Knox Crescent Church there, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the tenth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, the Presbytery of Montreal met as per adjournment and was constituted with prayer by the Moderator.

Inter alia.—Report of Committee to Consider the Method of Electing the Moderator of the General Assembly.

Rev. D. J. Fraser reported for the Committee recommending that this Presbytery overture the next meeting of the General Assembly in the following terms:—

"To the Venerable, the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada:

Whereas, among the ministers and members of the Church there is wide-spread dissatisfaction with the present method of electing the Moderator of the General Assembly for many reasons, for example,

(1) The existing mode of procedure is liable to lead to the use of undesirable means for securing the election of favoured nominees.

(2) The election, as usually conducted, is in painful contrast with the solemn worship, including the constituting of the Assembly, which immediately precedes it, and

(3) The present method affords no opportunity to the newly-elected Moderator to make suitable or necessary preparation for meeting his heavy official responsibilities;

Therefore Resolved: that the Presbytery of Montreal humbly overture the Venerable, the General Assembly, to appoint a representative committee to make a study of the methods of other Presbyterian Churches, and if possible, to recommend to the next Assembly a procedure that will avoid the unhappy features of the present usage and lend a reverent dignity to the installation of the Moderator, while safe-guarding the free expression of the will of the Assembly in the choice of its presiding officer."

Certified a true extract from the Minutes of the Presbytery of Montreal.

ALLAN S. REID,
Presbytery Clerk.

Montreal, Que., January 12, 1939.

No. 7.—Presbytery of Hamilton.

Re BECOMING A UNIT OF THE CHRISTIAN SOCIAL COUNCIL

At Hamilton, and within St. Paul's Chapel there, Tuesday March 7, 1939, at 10 a.m., which time and place the Presbytery of Hamilton met and was constituted with prayer by the Moderator, Mr. R. G. Stewart.

Inter alia.—It was moved by Mr. Peter A. Dunn, seconded by Mr. William Barclay, that the following overture be presented to the Venerable the General Assembly indicted to meet in Knox Church, Midland, on June 7, 1939, with the endorsation of the Presbytery of Hamilton. Carried unanimously.

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

Whereas, there are many grievous economic and social problems facing the people of Canada, and

Whereas, these problems are not only local but affect the Provinces and the whole Dominion, and

Whereas, the Church is at times faced with evils supported by vested interests which are both national and international, and

Whereas, the Christian Social Council of Canada is specially equipped and qualified to deal with these conditions and constituted to "expound and champion Christian principles as a true solvent of social problems,"

Therefore, the Presbytery of Hamilton humbly overtures the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada to take the necessary steps so that our Church may become "A unit of the Christian Social Council of Canada."

Extracted from the Records of the Presbytery of Hamilton this seventh day of March, 1939.

AUSTIN L. BUDGE,
Presbytery Clerk.

Hamilton.

No. 8.—Presbytery of Saskatoon.

Re ASSISTANCE FOR ACCEPTED STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY FROM WESTERN UNIVERSITIES

At Saskatoon, and within St. Andrew's Church there, on Wednesday, the fifteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, at two o'clock in the afternoon, which time and place the Presbytery of Saskatoon of The Presbyterian Church in Canada met and was duly constituted with prayer.

Inter alia.—The Presbytery gave careful attention to the matter of Theological Students in a reference by Principal F. S. Mackenzie, through the Synod of Montreal

and Ottawa, and resolved, on the motion made by Rev. W. G. Brown being seconded by Rev. Malcolm Ransom, to transmit the following overture to the General Assembly, indicted to meet in Midland, Ontario, on the first Wednesday of June in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

WHEREAS, it has been the judgment of this Presbytery since 1925 that the most thorough possible preparation for the work of the ministry of a sufficient number of outstanding students is one of the most vital concerns of the whole Church;

AND WHEREAS, the financial difficulties of such students have become increasingly great in recent years, whether in Eastern or Western Universities, none of which, in our opinion, provides either a cheap or a superficial Arts course;

AND WHEREAS, in our opinion, it is a decided advantage to these students to take part of their training in the environment of Western Universities and is moreover a financial advantage to the Church in eliminating travelling expenses to and from mission fields,

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Saskatoon respectfully overtures the Venerable the General Assembly, that in the issuing of this matter similar assistance be arranged for accepted students for the Ministry who are regular undergraduates in Arts in Western Universities as is provided for students of like standing in the Universities of McGill and Toronto.

Extracted from the Minutes of the Presbytery of Saskatoon this 24th day of February, 1939, by,

THOMAS MURPHY,
Clerk of Presbytery.

Saskatoon, Sask.

No. 9.—PRESBYTERY OF SASKATOON.

Re ORDINATION OF GEORGE W. MACKAY

At Saskatoon, and within St. Andrew's Church there, on Thursday, the sixteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, at one-thirty in the afternoon, which time and place the Presbytery of Saskatoon of The Presbyterian Church in Canada met and was duly constituted with prayer.

Inter alia.—It was moved by Rev. W. G. Brown and seconded by Rev. Gordon Baulch, that this Presbytery overture the General Assembly to ordain George W. Mackay of Formosa. Presbytery did then unanimously agree to transmit the following:

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

WHEREAS, Mr. George W. Mackay, son of the late Dr. George Leslie Mackay, founder of our great Mission in North Formosa, has spent all of his life in the environment of this Mission and has given all his mature years to the service of the Church in this Mission Field;

AND WHEREAS, his unique equipment has been of inestimable benefit in the training of young men and women in the Mission Schools in Formosa;

AND WHEREAS, new circumstances have compelled the Church to close these schools, which decision has enabled George W. Mackay to devote all his time to purely evangelistic work;

AND WHEREAS, his lack of ordination is a decided handicap in his new field of service;

AND WHEREAS, he has distinguished himself as a student in his University courses and since his graduation has prosecuted theological studies with vigour and success so that his theological training, in our opinion, makes him fully qualified to take his place among the ordained ministers of our Church;

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Saskatoon respectfully overtures the Venerable, the General Assembly, to instruct some Presbytery of this Church, to take the said George W. Mackay on trials for license to the end that he may receive his full standing as an ordained minister of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Extracted from the Minutes of the Presbytery of Saskatoon this 28th day of February, 1939, by

THOMAS MURPHY,
Presbytery Clerk.

Saskatoon, Sask.

No. 10.—PRESBYTERY OF SARNIA.

Re AUGMENTED CHARGES

At Thedford, and within the Women's Institute Building there, on Tuesday the seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, which place and time the Presbytery of Sarnia met and was constituted with prayer.

Inter alia.—On motion of Rev. J. Milroy seconded by Rev. W. R. Adams, the Presbytery of Sarnia agreed to transmit the following overture to the General Assembly.

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

WHEREAS, the depleted funds of our Church demand that strict measures be put into force to conserve the same, and

WHEREAS, there seems to be very little demand placed upon aid-receiving congregations to become self-supporting, and

WHEREAS, many congregations that have suffered reverses are unable to get help from the Augmentation Fund while other congregations which have been drawing from the fund for years continue to do so,

THEREFORE, we hereby overture the Venerable the General Assembly to put into effect a system for Augmented Charges as follows:

(1) No Church shall be placed on the Augmentation Fund for a period exceeding five years.

(2) Each year the grant shall be reconsidered, but each year the grant awarded shall be decreased by an amount of at least one-fifth of the original grant.

(3) Presbyteries and congregations shall be enjoined to see that the amount deducted by the fund shall not be deducted from the minister's salary but that this amount shall be raised by the congregation and paid to the minister.

(4) Congregations failing to pay the amount of Stipend named in the "call" shall where possible be merged with another congregation.

(5) No congregation shall be restored to the fund for a period of three years after the five year term of grant has expired.

Extracted from the Records of the Presbytery of Sarnia by

R. T. RUTHERDALE,
Presbytery Clerk.

Alvinston, March 12, 1939.

No. 11.—PRESBYTERY OF SARNIA.

Re APPOINTMENT OF SECRETARY FOR THE GENERAL BOARD OF MISSIONS

At Thedford, and within the Women's Institute Building there, on Tuesday the seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, which place and time the Presbytery of Sarnia met and was constituted with prayer.

Inter alia.—On motion of Rev. J. M. Macgillivray seconded by Rev. F. McAvoy, the Presbytery of Sarnia agreed to transmit the following overture to the General Assembly.

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

WHEREAS, now for three years the Church has been without a Secretary of the Board of Missions, and

WHEREAS, the Missionary work of the Church has suffered seriously both at home and abroad as a result, and

WHEREAS, the raising of the Budget of the Church depends upon the man who is set apart for the special purpose of studying the ever-changing conditions in our Mission Fields, encouraging the missionaries, directing the General Assembly's missionary policy and presenting to the Church at large the needs and progress of our missionary work.

THEREFORE, we hereby overture the Venerable the General Assembly to make an appointment of a permanent Secretary of the General Board of Missions at this coming meeting of the General Assembly in June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

Extracted from the Records of the Presbytery of Sarnia by

R. T. RUTHERDALE,
Presbytery Clerk.

Alvinston, March 12, 1939.

No. 12.—PRESBYTERY OF GUELPH.

Re THE APPOINTMENT OF A COMMITTEE OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

At Guelph, and within Saint Andrew's Church there, the Presbytery of Guelph met in ordinary session on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, at ten of the clock morning and was duly constituted with devotional exercises by the Moderator assisted by Mr. T. G. Marshall.

Sederunt.—Messrs. Dr. J. D. Smart, *Moderator*, E. A. Thomson, *Clerk*, Dr. M. B. Davidson, J. J. Lowe, *et al.*

Inter alia.—Dr. Davidson introduced the following overture:

WHEREAS, the present method used by our General Assembly in the election of their Moderator tends to detract from the dignity of the Assembly and gives so little opportunity for the newly-elected Moderator to prepare for his appointed duties,

We, the Presbytery of Guelph, would humbly overture the Venerable, the General Assembly, to appoint a Committee to study the whole question taking into consideration the procedure of other Presbyterian Churches; and report to the next General Assembly.

On motion of Dr. Davidson, seconded by Mr. Patterson, the Presbytery approved the overture and ordered it forwarded to the General Assembly.

Extracted from the Records of the Presbytery of Guelph and certified as a true extract of the same.

E. A. THOMSON,
Clerk, The Presbytery of Guelph.

Elora, Ontario, March 20, 1939.

A similar overture was passed by the Presbytery of Halifax and Lunenburg.

No. 13.—PRESBYTERY OF PETERBOROUGH.

Re REGULATIONS GOVERNING DEACONESSES

At Peterborough, the fourteenth day of March in the year 1939, which day the Presbytery met and was constituted with prayer.

Inter alia.—The Presbytery agreed to transmit the following overture to the General Assembly.

WHEREAS, at various times regulations governing the work of Deaconesses in The Presbyterian Church in Canada were adopted, and

WHEREAS, such regulations were revised, printed, and adopted by the General Assembly of 1912 and 1924, and

WHEREAS, the Deaconess Board reported such revision with no details given to the General Assembly of 1933, and

WHEREAS, the essential principle governing the employment of Deaconesses in this and any other branches of Presbyterianism was completely departed from,

THEREFORE, it is humbly overtured that the General Assembly reaffirm the regulations as adopted in 1924.

Extracted from the Records of the Presbytery of Peterborough.

GORDON R. DUNCAN,
Presbytery Clerk.

Peterborough, Ont., March 14th, 1939.

No. 14.—PRESBYTERY OF ORANGEVILLE.

Re ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO WORK WITH PRESBYTERIES IN SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

At Orangeville, and within the Presbyterian Church there, on Tuesday the twenty-eighth day of February, nineteen hundred and thirty-nine, and at the hour of half-past ten, forenoon. which day the Presbytery of Orangeville met and was constituted with prayer by the Moderator.

Sederunt.—Rev. Wm. Mackintosh, *Moderator*, Geo. Aitken, C. G. Jones, Jos. E. Taylor, T. W. Goodwill, *et al.*

Inter alia.—On motion of Dr. Geo. Aitken, seconded by Rev. C. Graham Jones, it was unanimously agreed to overture the General Assembly indicted to meet in Midland on the first Wednesday in June next, as follows:—

WHEREAS, the Presbytery of Orangeville was called upon during the year nineteen hundred and thirty-eight to deal with grave charges made by a congregation against their minister, and

WHEREAS, because of the infrequency of such cases there was some doubt as to the proper procedure to be followed, and

WHEREAS, after careful hearing of the evidence produced by both parties, the Presbytery took unanimous action according to its best judgment which action has been appealed against, and

WHEREAS, the said appeal against the action of Presbytery has created some misapprehensions in the mind of the congregation as to liability for stipend should Presbytery's judgment be reversed,

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Orangeville humbly and respectfully overtures the General Assembly to give consideration to the setting up of Advisory Committees within each Synod, to sit with Presbyteries and counsel and advise in difficult matters requiring special knowledge and action.

Extracted from the Records of the Presbytery of Orangeville this twenty-third day of March, 1939.

T. O. MILLER,
Presbytery Clerk.

Orangeville, Ont., March 23, 1939.

No. 15.—PRESBYTERY OF TORONTO.

Re THE APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANTS AND SUCCESSORS TO CERTAIN OFFICERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

In Toronto, and within Knox Church there, on Tuesday, the fourth day of April, Anno Domini, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, the Presbytery of Toronto, being regularly called and duly constituted, agreed to the following overture to be transmitted to the General Assembly indicted to meet in Midland, Ontario, on Wednesday, the seventh day of June next to come.

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

WHEREAS, the officers of the General Assembly at this time, are men of an age when retirement will soon become a physical necessity,

AND WHEREAS, the Church should not run the risk of waiting till vacancies occur in these positions requiring to be filled by new men, untrained, and without experience in the work to which they will be called, but should put herself in a position to have her work carried on steadily, uninterruptedly, and with full and continuous effectiveness,

BE IT RESOLVED, that in the opinion of this Presbytery, appointments should be made at once, of assistants and successors to the following:—The Clerks of the General Assembly (two if necessary), the Editor of the *Record*, the Secretary of the Board of Sunday Schools and Young People's Societies, and hereby overtures the General Assembly accordingly.

Given at Toronto this fourth day of April, A.D. 1939, and certified by me.

J. B. SKENE,
Presbytery Clerk.

No. 16.—PRESBYTERY OF BROCKVILLE.

Re STUDENTS FROM COLLEGES OTHER THAN THOSE OF OUR OWN CHURCH

At Iroquois, and within Knox Church there, on Tuesday, the seventh day of March, nineteen hundred and thirty-nine, at ten-thirty o'clock forenoon, met the Presbytery of Brockville and was duly constituted with prayer.

Sederunt.—Messrs. Alex. R. Gibson, *Moderator;* Wm. Merrilees, *Clerk;* N. A. MacLeod, Ph.D., D.D., *et al.*

Inter alia.—On motion of Dr. N. A. MacLeod, seconded by Mr. W. D. Turner, the Presbytery of Brockville agreed to transmit the following overture to the General Assembly.

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

WHEREAS, many of the ministers of The Presbyterian Church in Canada have received all or part of their Theological education in institutions other than the Colleges of the said Church,

WHEREAS, the enactment by the General Assembly of the recommendation by the Board of Education would asperse the training received by and the spirit animating these ministers,

WHEREAS, such enactment would expose the Church and her Colleges to ridicule, inasmuch as many of these institutions had and have world-wide recognition and approval,

WHEREAS, compulsion as is contemplated by the said recommendation would tend to create bitterness in the minds of applicants for licensure, alienate them from the work of the Church and defeat the purpose which the Board of Education has as its aim,

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Brockville humbly and respectfully overtures the Venerable the General Assembly that no further steps be taken anent the recommendation of the Board of Education in order that every application may be considered and determined, as now, on its own merits, thereby safeguarding more effectively the interests of the Church.

Extracted from the Records of the Presbytery of Brockville by me, this eighteenth day of April, nineteen hundred and thirty-nine, and certified a true copy.

WM. MERRILEES,
Presbytery Clerk.

Westport, Ont., 18th April, 1939.

No. 17.—PRESBYTERY OF BROCKVILLE.

Re PAYMENT OF STUDENT UNIVERSITY FEES BY THE CHURCH

At Iroquois, and within Knox Church there, on Tuesday, the seventh day of March, nineteen hundred and thirty-nine, at ten-thirty o'clock forenoon, met the Presbytery of Brockville and was duly constituted with prayer.

Sederunt.—Messrs. Alex. R. Gibson, *Moderator;* Wm. Merrilees, *Clerk;* N. A. MacLeod, Ph.D., D.D., *et al.*

Inter alia.—On motion of Dr. N. A. MacLeod, duly seconded, the Presbytery of Brockville agreed to transmit the following overture to the General Assembly.

WHEREAS, the cost of a University education now deemed necessary as preparatory to the study for the ministry of The Presbyterian Church in Canada is becoming prohibitive to many young men desiring to enter the ministry,

WHEREAS, the guaranteeing of Tuition fees in Universities by the Church would impose on her financial resources a burden which they could not bear, inasmuch as the Budget receipts are showing no sign of marked improvement and the accumulating deficit is growing larger,

WHEREAS, the appeals from new fields of labour are most urgent and the actual value of College Special Endowment Funds and the revenue accruing from them has been reduced by more than 30 per cent,

WHEREAS, no serious efforts have been put forth by the College Boards for about forty years to augment the Special Endowment funds of the Colleges, from which funds come the more constant revenues,

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Brockville humbly and respectfully overtures the Venerable the General Assembly that it urge strongly upon College Boards the necessity of securing sufficient endowments so as to provide for student University fees, to render unnecessary the receiving of large grants from the Church Budget and to make possible the needed enlarging of the Staffs of the Colleges and to silence the increasing demands for the amalgamation of the Colleges.

Extracted from the Records of the Presbytery of Brockville by me, this eighteenth day of April, nineteen hundred and thirty-nine, and certified a true copy.

WM. MERRILEES,
Presbytery Clerk.

Westport, Ont., 18th April, 1939.

Similar overtures were received from Presbyteries of Ottawa, and Lanark and Renfrew.

No. 18.—PRESBYTERY OF VINDHIYA AND SATPURA MOUNTAIN BHIL.

TO RETAIN THE NAME OF REV. JOHN BUCHANAN, D.D., ON THE CONSTITUENT ROLL OF THE PRESBYTERY

At Amkhut, on the twenty-eighth day of February, 1939, which day the Vindhiya and Satpura Mountain Bhil Presbytery met and was constituted with prayer.

Inter alia.—"In connection with the retirement of the Rev. John Buchanan, M.D., D.D., from active mission service, Presbytery unanimously agreed to forward the following request to the Clerk of the General Assembly:—

"The Vindhiya and Satpura Mountain Bhil Presbytery would respectfully request the Venerable the General Assembly, that inasmuch as Dr. Buchanan who has been retired from active mission service, has returned to live in Central India, that in recognition of his more than fifty years of faithful and fruitful service in this mission field of our Church, this Presbytery be permitted to retain his name on the Minister's Roll as a constituent member."

Extracted from the records of the Vindhiya and Satpura Mountain Bhil Presbytery by

D. E. McDONALD,
Presbytery Clerk.

No. 19.—PRESBYTERY OF TORONTO.

TO PLACE THE NAME OF REV. J. B. SKENE ON THE CONSTITUENT ROLL

On Tuesday, the sixth day of December, Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, at the hour of ten of the clock in the forenoon, the Presbytery of Toronto met in regular session.

Inter alia.—Dr. Wilson moved, seconded by Mr. Hilts, that this Presbytery overture the next General Assembly, indicted to meet in Midland on Wednesday, the seventh day of June next to come, for permission to place the name of its clerk, Rev. J. B. Skene, B.A., on the constituent roll of the Presbytery. This was agreed to.

Extracted from the Minutes of the Presbytery of Toronto, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1939, A.D.

J. B. SKENE,
Presbytery Clerk.

No. 20.—SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON.

Re MINIMUM STIPEND

At Stratford, and within St. Andrew's Church there, April 25, 1939, which time and place the Synod of Hamilton and London was duly constituted and in session.

Sederunt.—Dr. Gilmour, *Moderator;* Messrs. K. MacLean, Peter A. Dunn, R. A. Cranston, H. D. Cameron, *et al.*

Inter alia.—

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

THAT WHEREAS, the Kirk Session of Willis Church, Clinton, in a petition to the Presbytery of Huron asked for a ruling on (*a*) what constitutes a minimum stipend? and (*b*) what is the standing of a minister inducted in a charge where he is receiving less? and

WHEREAS, said Presbytery declined to give a decision on the matter but referred it to the Synod, as the higher court, and

WHEREAS, it was remitted to a Committee of Synod for consideration with the following action,

"THAT in view of the general confusion of thought throughout the Church in the matter of the Minimum Stipend your Committee recommends that the Synod overture the General Assembly that legislation be passed and its terms recorded in a remit to be sent to all the Presbyteries under the terms of the Barrier Act."

The Synod of Hamilton and London, therefore, respectfully overtures the General Assembly indicted to meet in Midland on June 7, 1939, to grant the prayer of the petitioners and remove confusion existing widely among ministers and congregations.

Extracted from the Minutes of the Synod of Hamilton and London, April 27, 1939.

AUSTIN L. BUDGE,
Synod Clerk.

No. 21.—SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON.

Re THE BUDGET FUNDS

At Stratford, and within St. Andrew's Church there, April 26, 1939, which time and place the Synod of Hamilton and London being in session after being duly constituted.

Sederunt.—Dr. F. W. Gilmour, *Moderator;* Messrs. Peter Reith, A. H. Wilson, Dr. G. P. Duncan, *et al.*

Inter alia.—The following overture from the Presbytery of Bruce was presented for consideration:—

To the Venerable the General Assembly.

WHEREAS, there is grave concern in this part of our Church over the accumulated deficit within the Budget Funds, which has been increasing annually in spite of strenuous efforts to balance the receipts and expenditure, and

WHEREAS, many of the most loyal contributors feel that they have reached the limit of their ability to give to said funds, our "voluntary system" having become in their view almost a system of taxation, and

WHEREAS, this condition tends to a breach of confidence and increased unrest within the Church,

THEREFORE, the members of the Presbytery of Bruce humbly overture your Venerable body to the end that in your wisdom some change may be made in the system of Budget Allocation, suggesting on our part that instead of the Spending Boards making their requisition each year, and then sending it down to the lower courts and congregations, the process be reversed, namely, that congregations be asked to submit at the beginning of the year of the amount they think they can and will make an earnest effort to reach; secondly, the Budget Committee of Presbytery to continue to exercise oversight of the givings; and thirdly, that the sum total of such estimates be the amount that the Board of Administration shall divide proportionally among the Spending Boards of the Church after deducting annually for ten years a sum sufficient to take care of interest charges and provide one-tenth of the indebtedness, with a view of retiring the said deficit by the end of the decade.

It was moved by Mr. R. A. Rutherdale and duly seconded that the Overture of the Presbytery of Bruce *re* "The Budget Funds" be received and transmitted to the General Assembly, *simpliciter*. Carried and so ordered.

Extracted from the Minutes of the Synod of Hamilton and London.

AUSTIN L. BUDGE,
Clerk.

Hamilton, April 28, 1939.

No. 22.—PRESBYTERY OF CAPE BRETON AND NEWFOUNDLAND.

TO ERECT A PRESBYTERY OF NEWFOUNDLAND

At Sydney, Nova Scotia, and within the Presbyterian Church there, on Tuesday, the twenty-fifth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, at ten-thirty in the forenoon, the Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland met and was constituted with prayer by the Rev. Howard A. Doig, Moderator.

Inter alia.—It was moved by Rev. Dr. M. M. MacOdrum, seconded by Rev. Quincy A. McDowell, and unanimously agreed, that the following overture be approved and forwarded to the Venerable the General Assembly.

To the Venerable the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

WHEREAS, the distance of our Churches in Newfoundland from those in Cape Breton has made impossible the attendance of Newfoundland members at meetings of the Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland,

AND WHEREAS, the distinct national traditions in Newfoundland, with conditions quite different from those prevailing in Canada, demand presbyterial oversight in immediate touch with the life of the country,

AND WHEREAS, our Churches in Newfoundland have suffered in the past from the lack of such direct presbyterial oversight,

AND WHEREAS, there are now three congregations in Newfoundland under the charge of ordained ministers,

AND WHERAS, we have reason to believe that there is rich promise for the expansion of our work in Newfoundland, given wise and efficient co-ordination and direction,

THEREFORE WE, the Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland, do respectfully overture the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada to erect a Presbytery of Newfoundland, the bounds of which shall be those of the Dominion of Newfoundland.

AND FURTHER, should the General Assembly grant the prayer of this Petition, that the name of this Presbytery be changed from Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland to Presbytery of Cape Breton.

Extracted from the Minutes of the Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland, this 26th day of April, 1939.

A. D. MACKINNON,
Clerk of Presbytery.

No. 23.—PRESBYTERY OF ORANGEVILLE.

Re PLACING NAME OF REV. T. O. MILLER ON THE CONSTITUENT ROLL OF PRESBYTERY

At Claude, and within the Presbyterian Church there, on Tuesday, the second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, and at the hour of two o'clock, afternoon, which day the Presbytery of Orangeville met, pursuant to motion of adjournment passed at the meeting held on April the fourteenth last, and was constituted with pryer by the Moderator.

Sederunt.—Rev. Geo. Aitken, *Moderator, pro tempore*, C. G. Jones, J. E. Taylor, H. L. Simpson, *et al.*

Inter alia.—It was moved by Rev. H. L. Simpson, seconded by Rev. C. G. Jones and agreed to humbly overture the Venerable the General Assembly, of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, indicted to meet at Midland on the first Wednesday in June next, for permission to place the name of the Rev. T. O. Miller, B.A., on the Constituent Roll of Presbytery, in the following terms:—

WHEREAS, Rev. T. O. Miller has made application to the General Assembly to retire from the active ministry, and

WHEREAS, he has been a faithful pastor throughout his ministry, and

WHEREAS, he is Clerk of Presbytery of Orangeville and continues to live within the bounds of the Presbytery of which he was a member for nearly seven years, during which time he was minister of Markdale and Flesherton, and

WHEREAS, his wide knowledge of the Presbytery of Orangeville, and his experience as a member of this Court will be of great help in this small Presbytery if he were a regular member of the Court,

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Orangeville respectfully overtures the General Assembly meeting in Midland, Ontario, in June, 1939, to grant permission to place the name of the said Rev. T. O. Miller on our Constituent Roll.

Extracted from the records of the Presbytery of Orangeville this fifth day of May, nineteen hundred and thirty-nine.

T. O. MILLER,
Clerk of Presbytery.

Orangeville, Ont., May 5th, 1939.

No. 24.—SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON.

Re SECTION 100—BOOK OF FORMS

At Toronto, and within St. John's Church there, May 4th, 1939, at ten o'clock forenoon, which time and place the Synod of Toronto and Kingston being in regular session, having been duly constituted by prayer: Mr. C. E. Kidd, Moderator, and Mr. John Lindsay, Clerk.

Inter alia.—Mr. E. A. Thomson, reported for a Committee appointed to consider a resolution concerning the advisability of making corrections to Section 100 in The Book of Forms and offered the following overture to be forwarded to the General Assembly.

To the Venerable the General Assembly.

WHEREAS, Section 100, page 18 of The Book of Forms reads as follows: "The effect of a complaint or appeal is to arrest execution of the judgment pronounced until the matter be reviewed by the Higher Court. But if the reasons for complaint or appeal are deemed frivolous or vexatious, the Court may resolve to disregard the complaint or appeal and may proceed in the case; such action, however, may be appealed against, and the Court, if it has acted improperly, is liable to censure by the Higher Court", and

WHEREAS, the Court against whom the appeal may be made is the Court which has the right to determine whether the complaint or appeal be "frivolous" or "vexatious".

WE, The Synod of Toronto and Kingston, in session in the City of Toronto, and within St. John's Church there, on Wednesday, the third day of May, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, would respectfully overture the Venerable the General Assembly to amend the said Section 100 by striking out all the words after the word "vexatious" and substitute the following: "by a standing Committee of Synod, to be known as the Committee on Appeals, the Presbytery may proceed in the case as though no appeal had been entered but this shall not interfere with the hearing of the appeal by the Higher Court".

AND THAT, Mr. C. G. Jones and Judge J. B. Moon be appointed to support the overture on the floor of the General Assembly.

On motion of Mr. E. A. Thomson, seconded by Judge J. B. Moon, it was agreed to transmit the overture to the General Assembly.

Extracted from the records of the Synod of Toronto and Kingston by

JOHN LINDSAY,
Synod Clerk.

No. 25.—PRESBYTERY OF WESTMINSTER.

Re RESTORATION OF MR. S. ROBERTSON ORR TO THE MINISTRY OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA

At Vancouver, and within Central Church there, on Tuesday, the ninth day of May, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, which place and time the Presbytery of Westminster met and was constituted with prayer.

Inter alia.—On motion of Mr. McTurk, seconded by Mr. Munro, the Presbytery of Westminster agreed to transmit the following overture to the General Assembly.

To the Venerable the General Assembly.

WHEREAS, Mr. S. Robertson Orr was demitted from the Ministry of The Presbyterian Church in Canada by action of the General Assembly, and,

WHEREAS, he has come to the Presbytery of Westminster in the spirit of humility and contrition seeking re-instalment into the ministry of our Church, and,

WHEREAS, the Presbytery of Westminster believes that this spirit of humility and contrition has replaced the bitterness and rebelliousness evidenced by Mr. Orr eleven years ago, because of his love of the Church, for his Saviour and for the Gospel he loves to preach, and,

WHEREAS, the Presbytery believes the restoration of Mr. Orr to the ministry of our Church will promote the interest of true religion, and,

WHEREAS, in view of these things, the Presbytery of Westminster deems the ends of discipline to have been fully met by the deep humiliation and pain suffered by his family and himself during the past eleven years,

THEREFORE, this Presbytery do humbly overture the Venerable the General Assembly, to restore the said S. Robertson Orr to the ministry of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Extracted from the records of the Presbytery of Westminster by

J. C. McLEAN-BELL,
Clerk of Presbytery.

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and thirty-nine, ... constituted with prayer by the Moderator.

Inter alia.—It was unanimously agreed to overture the Venerable the General Assembly for permission to place the name of Rev. R. L. T. Ballantyne, D.D., upon the Constituent Roll of Presbytery.

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

WHEREAS, Rev. R. L. T. Ballantyne, D.D., of St. Andrew's East, Que., has served for forty-five consecutive years in the Ministry of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, and

WHEREAS, during all these years Dr. Ballantyne has rendered faithful and efficient service in the various congregations in which he has been minister, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Ballantyne has now resigned his charge and has asked permission of the General Assembly to retire from the active work of the ministry, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Ballantyne has signified his intention to continue to reside permanently within the bounds of the Presbytery of Montreal,

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Montreal humbly and respectfully overtures the Venerable the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, for permission to place the name of the Rev. R. L. T. Ballantyne, D.D., upon its Constituent Roll.

Certified as extracted from the Minutes of the Presbytery of Montreal, this fifteenth day of May, 1939.

ALLAN S. REID,
Clerk of Presbytery.

3485 McTavish St., Montreal.

No. 27.—PRESBYTERY OF MONTREAL.

TO PLACE THE NAME OF REV. GEORGE E. ROSS, B.A., B.D., D.D., ON THE CONSTITUENT ROLL OF PRESBYTERY

At Montreal, and within Knox Crescent Church there, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the eleventh day of April, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, the Presbytery of Montreal met as per adjournment and was constituted with prayer by the Moderator.

Inter alia.—It was unanimously agreed to overture the Venerable the General Assembly for permission to place the name of Rev. George E. Ross, B.A., B.D., D.D., upon the Constituent Roll of Presbytery.

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

WHEREAS, Rev. George E. Ross, B.A., B.D., D.D., has served for forty-three years in the ministry of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Ross has given faithful and efficient service in the various congregations in which he has been minister, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Ross has served for some time on the Foreign Mission field in British Guiana, and has taken a leading part in securing recruits for the Ministry of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Ross has taken up his residence in the City of Montreal and his name is now on the Appendix to the Roll of the Presbytery of Montreal.

WHEREAS, the Court against whom the appeal may be made is the Court which has the right to determine whether the complaint or appeal be "frivolous" or "vexatious".

WE, The Synod of Toronto and Kingston, in session in the City of Toronto, and within St. John's Church there, on Wednesday, the third day of May, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, would respectfully overture the Venerable the General Assembly to amend the said Section 100 by striking out all the words after the word "vexatious" and substitute the following: "by a standing Committee of Synod, to be known as the Committee on Appeals, the Presbytery may proceed in the case as though no appeal had been entered but this shall not interfere with the hearing of the appeal by the Higher Court".

AND THAT, Mr. C. G. Jones and Judge J. B. Moon be appointed to support the overture on the floor of the General Assembly.

On motion of Mr. E. A. Thomson, seconded by Judge J. B. Moon, it was agreed to transmit the overture to the General Assembly.

Extracted from the records of the Synod of Toronto and Kingston by

JOHN LINDSAY,
Synod Clerk.

No. 25.—PRESBYTERY OF WESTMINSTER.

Re RESTORATION OF MR. S. ROBERTSON ORR TO THE MINISTRY OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA

At Vancouver, and within Central Church there, on Tuesday, the ninth day of May, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, which

WHEREAS, the Reverend William McLean, until recently minister of Outremont Church, and a member of this Presbytery, has resigned his charge in order to accept the position of Superintendent of the Sailor's Institute, Montreal, and

WHEREAS, he will thus continue to reside within the bounds of the Presbytery of Montreal, in the work of which he has taken a very active part during all the years of his association with it, and

WHEREAS, it is very desirable that the Presbytery should continue to avail itself of the assistance which he is so capable of rendering in the carrying on of the Presbytery's work,

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Montreal hereby overtures the Venerable the General Assembly, that permission be granted to place the name of Mr. McLean on the Constituent Roll of the Presbytery.

Certified as extracted from the Minutes of the Presbytery of Montreal this fifteenth day of May, 1939.

ALLAN S. REID,
Clerk of Presbytery.

3485 McTavish St., Montreal.

No. 29.—PRESBYTERY OF MONTREAL.

TO PLACE THE NAME OF REV. R. L. T. BALLANTYNE, D.D., ON THE CONSTITUENT ROLL OF PRESBYTERY

At Montreal, and within Knox Crescent Church there, at ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eleventh day of April, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, the Presbytery of Montreal met as per adjournment and was constituted with prayer by the Moderator.

Inter alia.—It was unanimously agreed to overture the Venerable the General Assembly for permission to place the name of Rev. R. L. T. Ballantyne, D.D., upon the Constituent Roll of Presbytery.

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

WHEREAS, Rev. R. L. T. Ballantyne, D.D., of St. Andrew's East, Que., has served for forty-five consecutive years in the Ministry of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, and

WHEREAS, during all these years Dr. Ballantyne has rendered faithful and efficient service in the various congregations in which he has been minister, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Ballantyne has now resigned his charge and has asked permission of the General Assembly to retire from the active work of the ministry, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Ballantyne has signified his intention to continue to reside permanently within the bounds of the Presbytery of Montreal,

THEREFORE, the Presbytery of Montreal humbly and respectfully overtures the Venerable the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, for permission to place the name of the Rev. R. L. T. Ballantyne, D.D., upon its Constituent Roll.

Certified as extracted from the Minutes of the Presbytery of Montreal, this fifteenth day of May, 1939.

ALLAN S. REID,
Clerk of Presbytery.

3485 McTavish St., Montreal.

REPORT OF THE BUDGET AND STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

As instructed by last Assembly the Budget and Stewardship Committee have given intensive study to ways and means of promoting increase in the annual revenue of the Church, coupled with a steadier month by month inflow of money from the congregations to the Treasurer's Office. A sub-committee, during the summer holiday period, having surveyed the needs of the case made recommendations as to policy which were adopted early in September and have been kept in the forefront of our plans since. This involved four lines of effort superintended by four conveners:

Information—Rev. S. C. Parker, D.D.

Allocations—Mr. Clarence M. Pitts, B.Sc.

Speakers—Rev. Edgar Foreman, B.A.

Non-Contributors—Rev. J. A. MacInnis, B.D.

Inevitably a great deal of correspondence was necessary as such a wide constituency can only be covered by post: and no doubt many ministers would prefer to receive fewer letters, but striking help has been afforded by not a few of our men who have gone to considerable trouble in acquainting us with their circumstances, or offering suggestions.

In the course of the year it was found advisable to ask Dr. Parker to include in his sphere Literature and Publicity; and the series of leaflets that have appeared month by month since February, as well as articles in the *Record*, are the result. Besides there is in preparation a film which will present the work of the Church in vivid and arresting form. It is hoped that duplicates will be made so that the story in picture may be told in various parts of Canada simultaneously.

The Committee is giving careful consideration to the whole question of Budget allocations to congregations, and meanwhile is seeking to secure certain essential information.

It will take time to judge of the full effect of these methods of stimulating interest, but the increase in income is encouraging hope for further improvement, although it ought to be carefully noted that the fact that the books were balanced for the first time since 1927, while a most acceptable happening, was due to a successful special effort made by the Presbytery of Montreal almost on the eve of the closing of the books for 1938, and also to the continued drastic economies with a view to reduction of expenses.

There can be no assurance that the serious pinch felt in August, September and October which led to delay in payment of the third quarter's augmentations will not be repeated this year. The Church needs working capital, let us repeat, by increased income and a steadier month by month inflow; and if, in line with last Assembly's

decision against the subscription sheet plan, no special efforts other than the Spring and Fall Offerings are to be made, then the energies of all concerned must be increasingly and sacrificingly concentrated on giving through the regular channels until the means at our disposal for bearing our share in the work of Christ's vineyard are commensurate with the responsibility God has laid upon us.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. Increased, regular giving and continued use of Spring and Fall Offerings.

2. Forwarding congregational contributions monthly.

3. Loyal co-operation in use of literature and all means available for stimulating interest.

4. Constant effort to reach non-contributors.

5. That all be urged to give to God through the Church in proportion as they have been prospered and with due consideration of the scriptural method of the Tithe.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. W. MacNAMARA,
Secretary.

WILLIAM BARCLAY,
Chairman.

SUMMARY OF BUDGET RECEIPTS BY PRESBYTERIES AND SYNODS

Presbyteries	*Amount Raised 1937*	*Allocation 1938*	*Amount Raised 1938*	*Amount Short*	*Per cent Raised*
Cape Breton and Newfoundland	$ 6,234.23	$ 8,500.00	$ 6,845.17	$ 1,654.83	80.52
Pictou	7,073.84	11,450.00	6,962.90	4,487.10	60.81
Halifax and Lunenburg	3,746.85	5,515.00	3,697.96	1,817.04	67.05
Saint John	2,013.28	3,515.00	1,863.10	1,651.90	55.84
Miramichi	859.28	1,660.00	589.21	1,070.79	35.48
Prince Edward Island	2,807.98	7,360.00	2,985.33	4,374.67	40.55
Quebec	2,666.37	4,500.00	2,470.62	2,029.38	54.91
Montreal	29,113.55	51,800.00	42,724.73	9,075.27	82.48
Glengarry	3,415.56	7,000.00	3,788.36	3,211.64	54.11
Ottawa	16,614.86	17,000.00	17,043.73	43.73 (Over)	100.25
Lanark and Renfrew	3,846.84	6,500.00	3,736.05	2,763.95	57.47
Brockville	3,349.88	7,000.00	2,919.43	4,080.57	41.70
Kingston	5,040.82	9,600.00	4,969.88	4,630.12	51.77
Peterborough	5,490.89	10,500.00	5,224.81	5,275.19	49.76
Lindsay	2,536.70	6,500.00	2,280.73	4,219.27	35.09
Toronto	63,557.36	102,500.00	64,098.08	38,401.92	62.53
Orangeville	1,467.06	3,500.00	1,353.86	2,146.14	38.68
Barrie	7,212.28	17,000.00	7,993.51	9,006.49	47.01
North Bay and Temiskaming	960.36	1,400.00	911.37	488.63	65.07
Algoma	1,655.02	1,800.00	1,802.59	2.59 (Over)	100.11
Saugeen	1,556.63	4,000.00	1,566.65	2,433.35	39.15
Guelph	17,130.96	27,200.00	16,815.06	10,384.94	61.81
Hamilton	26,435.23	45,195.00	25,782.12	19,412.88	57.04
Paris	6,756.19	11,423.00	7,300.36	4,122.64	63.90
London	8,097.13	18,273.00	9,499.12	8,773.88	51.98
Chatham	6,213.13	12,129.00	6,407.55	5,721.45	52.82
Sarnia	5,238.65	6,910.00	5,172.40	1,737.60	74.84
Stratford	8,418.09	15,548.00	7,645.08	7,902.92	49.17
Huron	3,377.22	6,353.00	3,542.87	2,810.13	55.78
Maitland	5,785.71	10,822.00	5,858.10	4,963.90	54.13
Bruce	4,496.59	9,347.00	4,113.21	5,233.79	44.00
Superior	2,300.66	3,000.00	2,386.19	613.81	79.53
Winnipeg	2,035.58	3,400.00	2,104.95	1,295.05	61.91
Brandon	823.76	2,000.00	972.32	1,027.68	48.60
Regina	1,721.55	3,040.00	1,801.57	1,238.43	59.24
Moose Jaw	663.59	1,030.00	717.71	312.29	69.70
Prince Albert	444.12	1,000.00	529.04	470.96	52.90
Saskatoon	1,035.30	1,650.00	937.43	712.57	56.78
Edmonton	2,582.98	4,590.00	3,748.37	841.63	81.65
Peace River	710.69	1,150.00	295.07	854.93	25.65
Red Deer	749.79	1,330.00	627.67	702.33	47.21
Calgary	3,872.67	5,300.00	3,589.59	1,710.41	67.71
Macleod	871.36	1,630.00	1,028.53	601.47	63.06
Kootenay	366.32	1,000.00	393.99	606.01	39.40
Westminster	6,491.64	10,000.00	7,643.24	2,356.76	76.43
Victoria	2,228.34	4,000.00	2,319.69	1,680.31	57.97
Synods					
Maritimes	22,735.46	38,000.00	22,943.67	15,056.33	60.37
Montreal and Ottawa	59,007.06	93,800.00	72,682.92	21,117.08	77.48
Toronto and Kingston	106,608.08	184,000.00	107,016.54	76,983.46	58.16
Hamilton and London	74,817.94	136,000.00	75,320.81	60,679.19	55.38
Manitoba	5,160.00	8,400.00	5,463.46	2,936.54	65.03
Saskatchewan	3,864.56	6,720.00	3,985.75	2,734.25	59.30
Alberta	8,787.49	14,000.00	9,289.23	4,710.77	66.35
British Columbia	9,086.30	15,000.00	10,356.92	4,643.08	69.04

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

It is with profound thankfulness to Almighty God for His watchful and keeping care, and His blessings towards us as a Church, that we present this report of the Board's labours during the past year. Many of the most difficult problems which confronted the Church a year ago have been solved and, although others yet remain to test our loyalty and fidelity to Him and His Church, still the way is clearer, and the issues remaining must now be courageously faced. No meeting of the Board, sub-committee, or conference is ever held without first invoking Divine guidance and finally imploring His blessing.

During the year our hearts have been saddened by the passing of our Moderator, Rev. Donald MacOdrum, D.D., at the very outset of his moderatorial year, which gave such promise of active service to the church he loved. In March of this year one of our most highly esteemed members of the Board, Mr. James Gill of Hamilton, passed to his reward, leaving a record of service and achievement both in the Church and in every worthy activity in which during a long and busy life he had been engaged. May our fellowship with them be unbroken in the joy of their abiding home. Our deepest sympathy is extended to those near and dear to our former co-workers upon whom these partings have brought sorrow and loss.

Once more we are able to report an increase in Current Revenue and a further decrease in Expenditures over the former year and, for the first time since 1927, Revenue has exceeded Expenditures, resulting in a surplus of $2,813.83, as compared with a deficit of $16,910.67 for last year (1937) and $30,912.17 in 1936. This brings to a reality our expectations expressed in last year's report. This happy result has been obtained by the most careful curtailment of expenditure as well as by a constant appeal for additional support from our congregations. Practically all the Spending Boards lived within their reduced allocations or very close limits. The Mission Board, however, were responsible for an expenditure over their allocation from Budget Funds of approximately $26,773.01, which was made up from their Reserves. All the Boards feel they could effectively utilize a much larger sum in their programme of work, but the financial position is not yet such that increases can be allowed in expenditure allocations.

Due to the surplus, and to certain special contributions for the purpose, the Accumulated Deficit has decreased from $201,444.57, as reported last year, to $196,211.94. This is another cause for profound thankfulness. The magnitude of this Accumulated Deficit, however, in view of the lack of sufficient liquid funds or capital to offset it, is a very heavy burden on the financing of the Church.

One of our major problems in the coming year, is to provide a working capital or liquid asset which will provide the necessary credit to discharge the current liabilities of the Church—that is its operating expenses—without drawing too heavily upon our accommodation with our Bankers. Last Assembly directed our attention to revenues from regular Budget sources, in order to reduce the accumulated deficit by increasing revenue over expenditure. We have accomplished this in some small measure during the past year, but some more effective method must be found to finance our current needs while congregations are in the process of sending in their Budget monies, which still are received largely during or after December of each year.

It is earnestly hoped that during the coming year the Board will be empowered to take the necessary steps to establish and accumulate a perpetual Capital Fund

called "The Presbyterian Conservation Fund", whose purpose will be to provide this working capital for the Church. Bequests, as well as subscriptions, should be sought. It should prove a real benefit, as those contributing from their own Capital would be assisting the whole work and continuing the usefulness and service of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, and not any particular department as now obtains. This is a distinctly different type of contribution from that given to the Budget Funds, which is usually from the contributor's income.

The mortgage indebtedness of congregations has decreased during the past year $60,605.00 from $2,669,375.00 to $2,608,770.00. Every year the returns are more complete as previous omissions in returns are rectified. Any considerable increase in our national prosperity should be reflected immediately by a substantial reduction in this form of liability.

Turning to the analysis of the Treasurer's Statement and balance sheet, we find that the Property Account has increased during the past year by $3,416.73 to $2,490,334.42, mainly due to an increase in the endowments of Knox College. No change has been made in the Depreciation Reserves during the year and $1,154.55 has been paid off principal on account of Mortgages and Agreements, so the net Property Account stands at $1,736,486.14.

It will be noted that the Budget income for 1938 after the books closed on January 31st, 1939, was $32,711.65 as against $17,561.37 last year, the difference being approximately the amount raised by Montreal Presbytery in a special effort to raise their 1938 allocation in full. This very successful campaign took place after January 31st. Attention is called to the depletion of the Funds on Foreign Mission Fields referred to in last year's report, the amount now standing at $6,765.00.

There would appear to be some confusion in certain quarters as to what the Church's current liabilities are on this Property and General Fund. They are shown in this analysis as $2,364.65 prepaid 1939 budget receipts; $1,000.00 accounts payable (audit fee still outstanding when the books closed); $42,921.38 to Pension Fund (increased over last year's total by interest credited for year). This latter amount is made up of grants from budget funds made for 1930 and 1931 which, on account of the high deficits for those years, were not paid in cash but carried as liabilities and the interest added to the Pension Fund equity annually; $6,180.76 to Church Extension Fund (likewise increased over last year by the addition of the year's interest); $50,262.64 for Sundry Trust Funds (the increase of $23,922.97 is due to interest charges and the inclusion of certain specific trusts of the Penman Estate last year included in a special item "The John Penman Trust Funds". This item has disappeared, as a special Penmarvian Fund has been established in which the $100,000.00 bequest has been capitalized as a savings bank account); $1,186.22 Sundry Liabilities to Presbyteries and Others (Increased by interest from last year's account); $12,355.53 to Mission Reserves (this is $26,964.60 less than last year due to the grants made by the Mission Board to maintain their work within the allocation made them from Budget Funds, and because the receipts from bequests during the year were not sufficient to replace this diminution. Note that the Mission Reserves held invested in securities and deposited in the safety deposit box in Toronto General Trusts has increased from $114,057.06 last year to $120,113.07;) and, finally, $204,541.05 our Bank Overdraft. This constitutes a total liability to the above mentioned funds of $320,812.23. Our accumulated Budget deficit, however, is $196,211.94.

We owe more than is shown by our accumulated deficit as this amount shows our impairment of Capital, and during the past years we have spent money on Property and General Account which was not lost but added to our assets, thereby not increasing our "Impairment of Capital" or "Accumulated Deficit", but still necessitating cash which increased our liabilities in securing it when the Budget contributions or special deficit appeals (our only source of financial revenue) were insufficient to supply the necessary funds. The "net worth" of the items of the "Property and General Fund" has increased during the year by $8,547.36 to $1,460,401.56.

These figures clearly indicate the difficulties of the Treasurer's Department in providing funds for the Church's operation during the summer and fall months, when the Congregational budget contributions are largely curtailed and expenditures are maintained at a practically constant rate. The bank overdraft at the end of last year was $69,787.69, to which should be added $100,000.00 of "John Penman Trust" now in a separate account, or a total of $169,787.69 as compared with a bank overdraft of $204,541.05 with which our operations for 1939 commence. This increase is largely accounted for by the writing-off of Mission grants which were previously available as working capital. These cash write-offs have totalled approximately $190,000.00 since 1927, and, while it represents splendid work done and great things accomplished by our Church for the Kingdom both in Canada and beyond the seas, it, never-the-less, makes doubly acute the necessity of providing at once a capital reserve from which grants cannot be made as write-offs, but which will be available to finance the Church without so heavy a demand for borrowing outside the Church's own organization. Obviously, too, this must be accomplished without diverting the regular revenues of the Budget, for any impairment of this source must be immediately reflected in the necessity for a drastic curtailing of our missionary work, as curtailment of any of the other Spending Boards would mean their extinction, or else the liquidation of the Mission invested reserves, a policy most strenuously opposed in the past by this Board. It is to be earnestly hoped that this eventuality may never arise.

The Board most sincerely appreciates the close and harmonious co-operation of the Budget and Stewardship Committee. The constant activity of this Committee in seeking to bring the work of the Church more graphically, as well as spiritually, before our people, particularly those who have not so far been touched with the reality of the Church's need and their opportunity to serve with sacrificial contributions, has had the full support of this Board. It is evident in some quarters, at least, that these special efforts have met with success, to which the surplus of the past year bears eloquent testimony. Until all our people realize their part in the plan for the extension of the Kingdom of God and apply themselves to its fulfilment, our Church will not reach due heights of usefulness to others, and we ourselves will not receive the full Divine blessing.

We would again record our great satisfaction at the splendid service rendered the Church by the Staff in the Church Offices. The Church's work is carried out efficiently, and the courtesy and friendliness with which the business in all departments is conducted leaves nothing to be desired. The Treasurer, Mr. E. W. McNeill, has again carried the Church through a most difficult year by careful management of the available funds. The Presbyterian Church owes him a deep debt of gratitude, which it can never repay, for his long years of voluntary and unremunerated services, requiring technical financial knowledge and judgment. In conducting our financial affairs he has been signally successful. Mr. Doran, our Chief Accountant, has given excellent service with the Treasurer's Staff in recording all receipts and transactions and furnishing the many statements required in the progress of the Board's work. Attention is here called to the foot-note to the Treasurer's Report which gives some idea of the magnitude of the tasks performed by Mr. Doran and staff, as some $1,890,271.83 represents the turn-over through the office last year. The completeness of the statistical report, and its form and accuracy in a long series of annual reports of this Assembly, bear witness to the efficiency and fidelity of the Staff in charge of this important work. No Church has been better served continuously over a long period of years, but in justice to our department heads who have been giving so unstintingly of head and heart and strength, we should begin to consider some relief of their labours by providing assistants, capable and conversant with the intricate details, so that the Church will not be found unprepared in the emergencies which time inevitably brings.

In order that the Assembly might be advised that all Presbyteries and Sessions had been fully informed of their duties, as outlined in the Board's Recommendation No. 1 of last Assembly, a general letter was addressed by the Board under date of September 27th, 1938, to all Presbyteries and Congregations and Missions, setting

out the Rule of the Church as contained in the Book of Forms as to the specific duties of Sessions referred to in the report. The letter requested a reply confirming the reading of the communication and the action, if any, taken. Only nine Presbyteries and 140 Congregations and Missions replied to this letter up to November 25th. On November 9th the Executive of the Board, realizing that scant attention had been paid the first communication, ordered a second to be sent to those who had not replied, strongly deploring their lack of co-operation in placing this important matter before their governing body and again asking that prompt action be taken. To date 217 congregations and 135 missions, or 38.1 per cent of our congregations and 71 per cent of the mission fields, have not replied. These contain some 2,274 elders or 44.6 per cent of our eldership and the congregations represent some $339,400.00 of "stipend paid by congregations". These have not responded and, perhaps, have not been informed as to the Assembly's action and their duties towards the work of the Church as its ordained elders.

The need of the closest harmony and co-operation throughout the Church has been previously stressed, and its continued lack is bound to reflect to the detriment of all the work. If so large a proportion of our ordained strength remains in ignorance of the duties required by their office, they cannot readily rally to her assistance either spiritually or financially. Any communication acknowledging the reading of the letter before the Court, or that action had been taken as to any of the duties, was considered a reply. Many replies went into full details of local conditions as to Budget support, or its lack, and local difficulties and problems of both minister and congregation, usually financial. It would appear very necessary that Presbyteries should carefully visit the congregations within the bounds and having, wherever necessary, covered the questions suggested in No. 52 of Appendices, Book of Forms. They should further endeavour to bring the office-bearers into a sympathetic realization of the problems of The Presbyterian Church in Canada and the earnest desire of the Church to assist them in every possible way, as well as to receive their assistance in the great work of the extension of the Kingdom of God which has been undertaken in their name as Presbyterians, who belong to the one family of faith in our Lord Jesus Christ. Presbyteries should be furnished with the list of congregations and fields within their bounds who have taken no action as to the matter. Eleven Presbyteries out of 46 have made no official reply as to the receipt of these letters, or action taken to date. Possibly some Presbyteries have not met since last November.

The attention of this Assembly is called to the serious character of recent legislation, passed by the Ontario Legislature, and by the Legislative Assemblies of other Provinces, amending and extending the regulations for the levying and collection of Succession Duties upon Estates. These Acts as now operated contain very drastic and far-reaching powers, and in their operation will, we are convinced, seriously and adversely affect all religious and benevolent organizations and institutions. If no steps are taken to secure some modification or some larger measure of exemption, with reference to bequests to religious, educational, and benevolent objects, all such bodies will suffer serious loss, and will be severely crippled in their activities during the coming years. Your Board would, therefore, request permission to approach other religious and benevolent organizations concerned with a view to a careful study of existing legislation, and to such action as may be possible, in an endeavour to secure some measure of redress.

Conferences with Representatives of Spending Boards

In accordance with the instructions of the Assembly, conferences with representatives of the Spending Boards were held on September 20th, 1938, and on March 21st, 1939, and the information available at those dates regarding Budget Receipts and Expenditures was submitted. The representatives present at the conferences showed a readiness to co-operate as far as lay in their power, in keeping expenditures within the limits of the allocations for the year. At the March meeting several of the representatives appealed for some increase in the amount allocated for the current

year, but, while some slight adjustments were made, it was not possible to meet these requests.

In support of the work under their control, the General Board of Missions, whose allocation for 1938 was reduced by $10,000.00, found it necessary to draw from the Home and Foreign Mission Reserves a sum equal to the amount over-expended during 1938 beyond the total allocated from the Budget. Even with this privilege, reductions were necessary. The Mission Board finds it difficult to see how further reductions can be effected without greatly curtailing the work to which the Church is committed.

The Pension Board

At last Assembly it was agreed that a Conference would be arranged between this Board and the Pension Board in an effort to reach an agreement as to the precise application of the resolution passed by the Assembly in 1930, as to the amount to be placed annually to the credit of the Pension Fund from the receipts for the Budget.

The position taken by the two Boards was clearly set out in the report of this Board to last Assembly.

The Conference was held by Committees appointed by both Boards on May 11th.

It was agreed, that in the opinion of the Conference, "When the time is opportune, an intensive appeal should be made to the Church on behalf of the Pension Fund, this appeal to be made by the Pension Board". This was occasioned by the pronounced drop in receipts from congregations to the Capital of the Pension Fund on the sliding scale contributions based on ministers' stipends as approved by Assembly.

Consideration was given to the resolution adopted by the General Assembly in 1930, which reads:—

> "That an amount up to but not exceeding 5 per cent of the total Budget Receipts be placed annually to the credit of the Pension Fund".

With reference to these annual payments to the Pension Fund from Budget Receipts a sharp difference of opinion was manifest. The Representatives of the Pension Board, as instructed by their Board before the Conference, would not agree to any payment annually of less than 5 per cent of the total Budget Receipts. They were not prepared to agree to a distinction between Budget Receipts marked "apportioned" and those marked "unapportioned", but claimed the full 5 per cent on the total Budget Receipts for each year, regardless of the source and designation of the contributors.

It was pointed out that, in the opinion of the Board of Administration, such a percentage should be computed only on "unapportioned" Budget Receipts.

It was submitted by the Board of Administration representatives "That the Pension Fund shall receive annually from the general funds of the Church $5,000.00 or enough to re-imburse the Pension Income Account so that the balance therein shall not be less than $25,000.00, but that the amount so paid in any one year shall not exceed 5 per cent of the 'unapportioned' Budget Receipts for that year".

The total Budget Receipts from June 10th, 1925, to January 31st, 1939, are $5,370,737.78 or, at 5 per cent, would equal $268,536.88, while the amount paid to the Pension Fund over this period amounts to $229,494.55, of which $60,420.00 was capitalized and the balance went into Income Account. On this basis, if the Pension Board's position is endorsed, the Church Funds will owe (neglecting interest) $39,042.33. The total "unapportioned" Budget Receipts for the same period were $3,144,016.16 which, at 5 per cent, would represent $157,200.80, in which case the General Funds have contributed to the Pension Fund $72,293.75 more than 5 per cent of such "unapportioned" funds. The total worth of the Pension Fund has increased from $463,642.12 on March 31st, 1927, to $880,045.93 on January 31st, 1939, including the Income Account of $42,150.31, this latter sum having been previously contributed to this fund from Budget Funds adding substantially to the present deficit, which is hampering the

general work of the Church. In addition the sum of $13,059.39 has been credited in interest to the Pension Fund on amounts owing from the Budget, also $9,220.35 paid in 1930 and 1931 on behalf of the Colleges and several Boards of the Church from the Budget, and this amount was capitalized. The Board of Administration therefore recommends to Assembly the clarification of the whole situation in the terms of the opinion as expressed above, as being in the best interests of all the Boards of the Church for whom the Board is endeavouring to act in this matter. It would be a serious blow to the Church's financial position, and an annual burden of considerable magnitude, to add any amount for the past years to the equity of the Pension Fund at the expense of the General Fund.

For last year our total Budget Receipts were $321,797.67, which would have, at 5 per cent, meant a payment to the Pension Fund of $16,089.88 or $11,089.88 more than was credited. The deficit on Pension Income Account was $10,222.44. If the unapportioned Budget Receipts for last year of $225,258.14 were used as a basis, then $11,262.91 would have been credited and would have shown a deficit on the Income Account for the year of $3,959.53. Under the conditions of the plan proposed by the representatives of the Board of Administration, allowing for similar conditions with the fund as last year as to income and expenditures, it would take two more years with contributions of $5,000.00 annually from the Budget Funds to the Pension Income Fund before the $42,150.31 balance would be reduced below $25,000.00 and, thereafter, neglecting the effect of the normal rate of Capital increase which the fund has enjoyed in the last 12 years which has nearly doubled the revenue from investments in that period, it would take a further eight years before the reserve in the Income Fund, built up by previous excess Budget Funds' allotment to this Income Fund, would have become exhausted. In the meantime, Budget revenues should be increasing if the present trend is continued. The proposal is reasonably sure of proving the final satisfactory solution, avoiding throwing a heavy burden upon the Budget at a time when the whole expense structure and revenue sources are getting into a better relationship.

The United Church of Canada

This Board was authorized by last Assembly to continue negotiations with The United Church of Canada upon matters of concern to both Churches, and was given power to issue in the matter.

Your Board is pleased to report that as a result of further Conferences between a Committee of this Board and a Committee of The United Church of Canada, an agreement was reached which was approved by this Board, and received the hearty approval of the General Council of The United Church of Canada at its meeting held in Toronto in September last. Under this agreement, the way was opened for the removal by legislation of any possible legal barriers to the use of the full name of our Church which might be construed from "The United Church of Canada Act" and for application by us to the Parliament of Canada for powers of Incorporation of a Trustee Board. The agreement is as follows:—

"The Committees appointed by the two negotiating Churches to confer upon matters of difference between them, are happy to be able to present a joint report.

They found themselves actuated by a common spirit of sincere desire that difficulties, which have arisen between the two Churches should, if at all possible, be removed. Consequently it has been in an atmosphere of mutual helpfulness that the Committees have approached the double task of clarifying the situation as to the use of the name 'The Presbyterian Church in Canada', while at the same time protecting the declared principles of both Churches. As a result, they have unanimously agreed:

1. That each Church acknowledges the fact that a claim of continuity has been and still is, made by the other.

2. That both Churches agree to approach together the Federal Parliament and the Provincial Legislatures as and when The Presbyterian Church may request

The United Church of Canada to make application to the Federal Parliament and the Provincial Legislatures, or any of these bodies, to obtain the following amendment (or an amendment to the like effect agreed upon by the Sub-Executive of the General Council and the Board of Administration of The Presbyterian Church) to The United Church of Canada Act:

'Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act, congregations, members and adherents of The Presbyterian Church in Canada who did not on the 10th day of June, 1925, become part of The United Church of Canada and those who have since that date joined or may hereafter join with them as members or adherents may use the name, 'The Presbyterian Church in Canada' but this shall not in any way prejudice or affect the rights or powers of The United Church of Canada or of any constituent part thereof or of any corporation, board, committee or other body created by or under the government or control of or in connection with The United Church of Canada or of any congregation thereof'.

3. That both Churches will seek to dwell together in mutual understanding, composing their differences upon material things as far as in them lies, by consultation one with the other, and where possible without recourse to the Civil Courts, seeking fellowship in all good works for the Kingdom of God; thus afresh commending the Gospel of Jesus Christ."

The above Report was approved by the Executive of the General Council and forwarded to the General Council, whose hearty approval was duly given.

Incorporation

In accordance with the agreement with The United Church of Canada, and upon application by that body to the Dominion Parliament, an Act was passed amending The United Church of Canada Act by adding a section which provides that we may use the name "The Presbyterian Church in Canada", thus removing any possible legal barriers to its use by us, as contained in the original Act incorporating The United Church of Canada.

An Act to incorporate The Trustee Board of The Presbyterian Church in Canada was drafted by our legal advisers, and was carefully reviewed and revised, and approved by the Executive and Legal Committee of this Board. Application was made to the Parliament of Canada and the Act as approved was passed by the Senate and House of Commons without change, and received the Royal Assent on April 5th, 1939.

The following are the names of the Trustees appointed under the Act—Mr. John Forbes Michie, Mr. Gilbert Laurie Sutherland, Mr. Ernest William McNeill, Mr. John Andrew McLeod, Dr. James Wilson, Dr. John Gibson Inkster, Rev. William Barclay.

Application was also made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario for the passing of an Act based on the above Act of Incorporation to enable the Trustee Board to hold and deal with property in this Province, and was passed without change, and received the Royal Assent on April 27th, 1939.

The way is now open for the first time since 1925 to have the business of the Church, and all matters connected with the holding or disposing of property, funds and securities placed on a sound and permanent basis for the future, and to get free from many of the legal and technical difficulties of recent years. In this connection, your Board suggests that fitting acknowledgment should be made at this time of the valuable services rendered to the Church by the group of laymen who have acted in the capacity of Trustees since 1927.

It will be necessary, in order that the Trustee Board may carry out the purposes for which it is incorporated, that this Board be granted authority by the Assembly to transfer to the Trustee Board certain powers now exercised by this Board by authority of the Assembly.

A copy of the Federal and Ontario Provincial Acts of Incorporation will be found on pages 165-170.

The Book of Praise

As the original contract for the printing of the Book of Praise expired, the copyright of which is held by the Church, your Board was faced with the alternative of entering into a ten-year contract with the Oxford Press along the lines of the former contract, or of making some other satisfactory arrangements for a supply of the various editions for the use of our congregations. We are pleased to report that after Conference with the Toronto representative of The Oxford Press, and Dr. N. A. MacEachern of Presbyterian Publications, an agreement has been reached under which the Oxford Press undertakes to supply, as required, those editions of the Book of Praise which are in demand, and Presbyterian Publications is given the exclusive right to sell the Book of Praise in Canada after January 1st, 1939; Presbyterian Publications to be responsible for the payment of royalties to the Church on the several editions. Further, that the decision as to the number of copies of each edition to be ordered from the Oxford Press, the selling price as from January 1st, 1939, and the royalties which the Chuch shall receive, shall be decided by Conference between this Board and Presbyterian Publications.

Andrew McCormick Estate

The late Andrew McCormick in his Will bequeathed the residue of his Estate "To the Continuing Presbyterian Church, to be held as a Fund to aid small Churches",—Mr. McCormick lived at New Richmond, Quebec.

The General Assembly, meeting in Hamilton in 1936, in response to an Overture from the Presbytery of Miramichi, ordered "that the net income of the Estate be used for five years for local purposes, after which the situation may be re-considered, always keeping in mind the needs of the local situation" (Minutes 1936, pages 23, 51).

Grants from the income of this Estate are paid from time to time to congregations within the bounds of the Presbytery of Miramichi upon request by the Presbytery, and upon the condition that the congregation raises an amount equal to the amount of the grant. As applied in this way, we believe the fund has been of great benefit in helping struggling congregations in that area to meet and reduce their indebtedness. A statement of income and expenditure will be found on page 184.

Title to Congregational Property

The attention of Presbyteries was called to the following recommendation which was adopted by last Assembly:—

> "That in view of the incompleteness of the reports, Presbyteries be again directed to ascertain in what way congregational property within the bounds is held, and that such information be referred to a Committee on Property, or such other Committee as each Presbytery in its wisdom may appoint, to take whatever action may be found necessary, and that such information be forwarded to this Board (Report of the Board of Administration Rec. No. 4, app. p. 167)".

Reports were received from eleven Presbyteries. Several Presbyteries reported the appointment of a Committee to deal with the matter, but detailed reports have not in all cases been received. In view of the fact that this matter has been brought to the attention of all Presbyteries for two years in succession, your Board would recommend that it now be left in the hands of the Presbyteries, with the suggestion that in each Presbytery a Committee on Church Property be appointed from year to year, whose duty it shall be to secure reports from Congregations within the bounds as to the appointment of Trustees to fill any vacancies caused by death or removal, to advise regarding any questions as to title or registration of title of Church Property, and to secure reports regarding the Insurance of all Church Property within the bounds.

Dr. Ephraim Scott Fund

The report of the Dr. Ephraim Scott Fund for the relief of ministers and their families will be found attached to this report on page 175.

Morgan Memorial House, Markham; and "Penmarvian", Paris

The reports covering operations at the Morgan Memorial Home, Markham, and "Penmarvian", Paris, Ontario, will be found attached to this report on pages 176 and 178.

Portrait of Dr. Goforth

Through the generous action of a group of laymen, in response to an appeal by Dr. J. Gibson Inkster, a fine Oil Portrait of the late Veteran Foreign Missionary, Dr. Jonathan Goforth, was purchased and presented to Mrs. Goforth, and by her presented to the Church through the Board of Administration. The generous gift was accepted on behalf of the Board by the Chairman, and the Oil Portrait was hung in the Board Room at the Church Offices, Toronto.

Budget Estimates for 1940

Your Board recommends that the amount of $500,000.00, the same as for 1938, and 1939, be set as the objective for 1940, to cover the Church's work at home and abroad, including interest on borrowed funds and provision for a partial retirement of indebtedness, and that this amount be allocated to the Synods, as follows:

		Per Communicant
Maritime Provinces	$ 38,000.00	$1.97
Montreal and Ottawa	95,000.00	3.34
Toronto and Kingston	184,000.00	3.16
Hamilton and London	136,000.00	2.89
Manitoba	10,000.00	1.75
Saskatchewan	8,000.00	1.67
Alberta	14,000.00	2.33
British Columbia	15,000.00	2.57
	$500,000.00	$2.85

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That in view of returns received from the Presbyteries and Sessions in reply to the Board's letters regarding the specific duties of Sessions as outlined in the Book of Forms, Presbyteries be now requested to make visitations of Sessions and Deacon's Courts or Boards of Managers within their bounds as under section 199 (*a*) and (*b*) and specifically to bring about a better understanding of their position as regards the general work of the Church, to the end that by mutual assistance and support the work of the local congregations and the Church as a whole may be furthered to the greater glory of God in this land and beyond the seas.

2. That the General Assembly approve of the Budget as submitted and recommend to the Synods of the Church that their respective allocations be approved and, in turn, allocated to the Presbyteries within their bounds at the earliest possible date, not later than October 31st, 1939.

3. That in view of the urgent need for a working capital if our Presbyterian Church is to continue to function adequately, the Board be empowered to take the necessary steps to accumulate a Capital Fund to be called "The Presbyterian Conservation Fund" which will be kept intact to assist in the financing of the work of the Church, so relieving as far as possible the necessity of outside borrowings, until otherwise directed by order of the Assembly.

4. That Presbyteries be requested to appoint annually a Committee on Church Property whose duty it shall be to secure reports from congregations within the bounds as to the appointment of Trustees to fill vacancies caused by death or removal,

to advise regarding any questions as to title of Church Property, and to secure reports regarding Fire Insurance on all Church Property.

5. That this Board be empowered to confer with representatives of other religious and benevolent organizations with a view to a thorough study of the Succession Duties Acts in force in the various Provinces of the Dominion, and to seek such action as may be found possible.

6. That this Board be empowered to revise and adjust its powers as it may find necessary to transfer to the newly incorporated "Trustee Board of The Presbyterian Church in Canada" such powers and responsibilities as are found necessary and expedient for the discharge of their corporate duties under the Acts.

7. That the Assembly clarify the rule set out in the Book of Forms, page 150, as to the amount payable to the Pension Fund Annually from the Budget Funds of the Church by directing:

"That an amount of not less than $5,000.00 and not exceeding 5 per cent of the total unapportioned Budget receipts be placed annually to the credit of the Pension Fund. Further, should the residue of the Pension Income Account, from which annuities and expenses of the Fund are paid, fall below $25,000.00, then the annual contribution from the Budget Receipts shall be sufficient to restore this minimum but shall not exceed 5 per cent of the total unapportioned Budget Receipts, unless specially ordered by the Assembly".

8. That Henry Barber, Mapp and Mapp, Chartered Accountants, be continued as Auditors of the Church accounts, under the same terms as were approved by the Assembly last year.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. M. PITTS,
Chiarman.

J. W. MACNAMARA,
Secretary.

AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE TRUSTEE BOARD OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA

(ASSENTED TO 5th APRIL, 1939)

Preamble. 1939, c.—

WHEREAS by an Act passed by the Parliament of Canada, being Chapter A of the Statutes of Canada, 1939, it is provided that congregations, members and adherents of The Presbyterian Church in Canada who did not on the tenth day of June, 1925, become part of the United Church of Canada and those persons who since that date had joined or might after the passing of the said Act join with them as members or adherents might use the name "The Presbyterian Church in Canada" but that such use should be without prejudice to the rights or powers of the United Church of Canada as set forth in the said Act; and

WHEREAS The Presbyterian Church in Canada as defined in section one of this Act has by petition represented that it desires to have incorporated a trustee board to acquire, take, hold and deal with real and personal property, and it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said petition: Therefore His Majesty by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada enacts as follows:—

Definition of "The Presbyterian Church in Canada".

1. The words "The Presbyterian Church in Canada" occurring in this Act subsequent to this section mean and include only the congregations, members and adherents of The Presbyterian Church in Canada who did not on the tenth day of June, 1925, become part of The United Church of Canada and those persons who have since that date joined or may hereafter join with them as members or adherents.

Incorporation of "The Trustee Board of The Presbyterian Church in Canada".

2. John Forbes Michie, merchant, Gilbert Laurie Sutherland, real estate broker, Ernest William McNeill, manager, John Andrew McLeod, banker, James Wilson, clergyman, and John Gibson Inkster, clergyman, all of the city of Toronto in the province of Ontario, and William Barclay, clergyman, of the city of Hamilton in the said province of Ontario, and their successors to be appointed from time to time as hereinafter provided, shall be and they are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate by the name of "The Trustee Board of The Presbyterian Church in Canada," and the said body politic and corporate is hereinafter in this Act referred to as "the Board."

Corporate seal.

3. The Board shall have and use a common seal and may from time to time change, alter, or make new, such seal, as the Board may think fit.

Chairman.

4. (1) The Board shall from time to time elect a chairman who shall preside at all meetings at which he is present. In case of the absence of the chairman from any meeting the members of the Board then present shall elect a chairman for that meeting.

Meetings.

(2) Meetings of the Board may be held at such place or places and at such dates or times as may be decided by the Board from time to time, and the business at such meetings shall be dealt with in such order and in such manner as the Board shall from time to time prescribe.

Quorum.

(3) Three members of the Board shall form a quorum and questions arising at any meeting shall be decided by a majority of votes. Each member of the Board including the chairman shall have one vote only.

Power to acquire property.

5. The Board shall at all times hereafter be entitled to purchase, lease, acquire, have, take, hold, receive, and enjoy, all or any property real and personal whatsoever in the most full and ample manner that may be allowed by law.

Property vested in Board.

6. Save as otherwise provided in this Act, all gifts, devises, deeds, conveyances, transfers or leases of any real property or of any interest therein and all gifts, bequests, assignments or transfers of any personal property or of any interest therein which have been or shall hereafter be made to or intended for, The Presbyterian Church in Canada or any of the trusts in connection with the said church, or any of the institutions, organizations, schemes or funds of the said church, shall vest in the Board as fully and effectually as if any such gift, devise, deed, conveyance, transfer, lease, bequest or assignment had been made to the Board and shall be held and administered by the Board for the general benefit of the said church, unless intended for the specific benefit of any trust, institution, organization, scheme, or fund of the said church, when the same shall be held and administered by the Board for such specific benefit, but nothing in this Act contained shall vest in the Board any real or personal property or any interest therein which the Board shall decide not to accept.

Property vested in Board subject to trusts.

7. All property, real and personal, which shall be vested in or held by the Board for any general or special purposes or trusts of or in any way connected with The Presbyterian Church in Canada shall be held for the purposes and trusts, and with, under and subject to the same powers and provisions, as are in force or declared under any deed, instrument or statute affecting such property respectively.

Property held by trustees to be transferred to Board.

8. Save as otherwise provided in this Act, every person in whom any property, real or personal, or any interest therein, shall have become vested heretofore, or shall become vested from time to time hereafter, by statute, or by order of a commission, or by gift, devise, deed, conveyance, transfer, lease, bequest, or assignment, or in any other manner, upon trust for The Presbyterian Church in Canada, or any of the trusts in connection with the said church, or any of the institutions, organizations, schemes or funds of the said church, shall, upon the request of the Board and at the Board's expense, forthwith assign, convey or otherwise transfer such property or interest therein to the Board, and shall sign and execute all such deeds and instruments, and do all such acts, as may be necessary for that purpose.

Release of former trustees.

9. When any property, real or personal, or any interest therein, shall have been assigned, conveyed or otherwise transferred to the Board as aforesaid all rights, powers, and liabilities of the person or persons in whom the same was theretofore vested shall cease and determine and he or they shall thenceforth be wholly released and discharged from the performance of the trusts and the exercise of the rights, powers or duties, previously imposed upon or exercisable by him or them: Provided that nothing herein shall be deemed to prevent any such person from being called on to account for any moneys received or expended, or for the doing or non-performance of any act, matter, or thing in relation to the trust, prior to the assignment, conveyance or transfer of such property as aforesaid.

Board to have power to enforce existing contracts.

10. All contracts of every kind in existence at the date of the incorporation of the Board under this Act, and which could be enforced by or against the trustees of any property affected by the operation of this Act, or any committee or other persons or body in whom any such property may have been vested at the date aforesaid, and all rights, remedies, and powers in existence or which may afterwards exist or arise upon or in respect of any such contract or in relation thereto, shall be exercised and enforced only by or against the Board.

Income from funds held by Board.

11. The Board shall at all times on the request of the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, or on the request of the Board of Administration of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, or other board or committee which may from time to time be charged with the management of the trusts, institutions, organizations, schemes and funds, respectively, of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, pay the rents, income or produce of any real property or interests therein, and of any personal property, or interests therein, to the treasurer of The Presbyterian Church in Canada for the benefit of the said trusts, institutions, organizations, schemes, and funds, respectively, and shall also at the like request sell and convert into money the real property, or interests therein, and the personal property, or interests therein, subject to the trusts on which the same may be held, and shall pay the proceeds of the said sales to the said treasurer for the benefit of the said trusts, institutions, organizations, schemes, and funds respectively: Provided, and it is hereby expressly declared, that no purchaser from the Board shall be bound to see that the said request shall have been made, or to inquire as to the application of the said purchase money, or the regularity of the appointment or proceedings of the Board; and the execution of any grant, deed, conveyance, transfer, lease, assignment, release, discharge, or other instrument, shall be deemed sufficient and conclusive when executed as hereinafter set forth.

Property conveyed to Board for congregations to be formed.

12. All purchases, gifts, devises, deeds, conveyances, transfers or leases of lands which may be made for or to The Presbyterian Church in Canada as a site for a church, manse, school, or cemetery, for the use of a congregation not then organized, shall vest in the Board in trust to convey the same to the trustees of such congregation when it shall have been organized under the sanction of the presbytery within the bounds of which it is situate, or in default of such organization in trust to sell the same and pay the proceeds of such sale to the treasurer of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, for such trusts, institutions, organizations, schemes or funds thereof as may be determined from time to time by the General Assembly of the said church.

Property of congregations ceasing to exist.

13. All lands and premises and personal property and assets which have been, or shall hereafter at any time, be held by any trustee or trustees for any congregation of The Presbyterian Church in Canada which shall have ceased to exist shall vest in the Board upon trust to sell, get in and realize the same and to pay the proceeds to the treasurer of The Presbyterian Church in Canada for such trusts, institutions, organizations, schemes or funds thereof as may be determined from time to time by the General Assembly of the said Church.

Act not to apply to certain trusts.

14. Except as provided by sections twelve and thirteen nothing in this Act contained shall affect or apply to the trustees of, or the trust property under, or the administration of, any trusts upon which any property, real or personal, or any interest therein, is now held for the benefit of, or in connection with, any congregation of The Presbyterian Church in Canada under any statute, instrument, will, trust deed or

otherwise, or held by such trustees upon any congregational trusts whatsoever, and nothing in this Act contained shall affect or apply to any gift, devise, deed, conveyance, transfer or lease of any real property or any interest therein or any gift, bequest, assignment or transfer of personal property or any interest therein which shall hereafter be made to or intended for the benefit of any congregation of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Incidental powers of Board.

15. In addition to and without in any way limiting the powers exercisable by the Board under this Act or under any other law or statute applicable to it, it is hereby declared that the Board shall possess and may exercise from time to time the following incidental and ancillary powers:—

Investments.

(*a*) Power to invest and reinvest or lend moneys in or upon any securities real or personal in which a life insurance company carrying on business in Canada may from time to time invest or lend moneys, and the Board shall have all such rights and remedies for the collection and enforcement or repayment of an investment or loan as any individual would have;

Borrowing.

(*b*) Power to borrow money for its purposes upon its credit and to mortgage, hypothecate or pledge any property, real or personal, vested in or held by it as security for any loan;

Negotiable instruments.

(*c*) Power to make, accept, draw, endorse, and execute, bills of exchange, promissory notes, orders for the payment of money, and other negotiable instruments;

Annuities.

(*d*) Power to receive and hold for the benefit of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, or any of the trusts in connection with the said church, or any of the institutions, or organizations, schemes, or funds, of the said church, sums of money in consideration of the payment, during the life of the donor or during any other period, of interest thereon at such rate as may from time to time be agreed upon, or in consideration of the payment of an annuity or annuities to any person or persons in respect thereof. But this power shall not authorize the Board to engage in the business of insurance.

No personal liability on members of Board.

16. No personal liability shall attach to any of the members of the Board for the failure of any investment or security which may be made or taken by the Board as authorized by this Act.

Execution of documents under seal.

17. All grants, conveyances, deeds, transfers, leases, assignments, releases, discharges, and other instruments, shall be made and executed by the Board under its corporate seal, attested by the signatures of any two members of the Board, and when so made and executed shall be sufficient and conclusive.

Vacancies on Board.

18. (1) If any member of the Board shall die, or resign his office, or refuse or neglect to act, or shall cease to reside in Canada for more than twelve months in succession, or shall become mentally incompetent, he shall be deemed to have vacated his office as a member of the Board.

Filling vacancies on Board.

(2) In the case of a vacancy or vacancies occurring in the membership of the Board at any time the Board of Administration of The Presbyterian Church in Canada or the Executive Committee thereof may fill any or all of such vacancies and the person or persons so appointed shall hold office until the next meeting of the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada and until their successors are appointed. At its next meeting the General Assembly of the said church shall appoint

members to fill such vacancies and the members temporarily appointed by the Board of Administration or the Executive Committee thereof shall be eligible for appointment by the said General Assembly.

Power of General Assembly to remove members of Board.

19. The General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada may also at any time, by resolution passed by such Assembly, remove any member of the Board from office, without having or alleging any cause for such removal, and may appoint some person as a member of the Board in his place and stead.

Reports to General Assembly.

20. The Board shall present to the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada at each meeting thereof a report in which shall be set forth fully the various moneys, securities, and property, real and personal, which shall have come into its hands since its last preceding report, and the moneys, securities, and property still held by it, and in which shall also be set forth fully the disposition made by the Board since its last preceding report of any moneys, securities, and property, and the income thereof.

Power of General Assembly etc., to make regulations, etc.

21. The General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada may from time to time make, amend and repeal by-laws, resolutions, rules and regulations for the government and control of the Board, and may from time to time delegate to the Board of Administration of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, or to the Executive Committee thereof, or to any specially appointed committee thereof, all or any part of its powers as to, and jurisdiction over, the Board. Until the said General Assembly makes by-laws, resolutions, rules or regulations for the government and control of the Board, the Board shall be subject to the government and control of the said Board of Administration.

Copies of documents to be evidence.

22. All copies of any by-laws, resolutions, rules or regulations, or any amendments or alterations thereto purporting to be made under the provisions of this Act, purporting to be under the seal of the Board, and to be signed by any two members of the Board, shall be *prima facie* evidence in all courts of the contents thereof without proof of the authenticity of such seal or signatures.

AN ACT RESPECTING THE TRUSTEE BOARD OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA

Preamble.

WHEREAS application is being made to the Parliament of Canada at the present session thereof for an Act intituled, *An Act respecting The United Church of Canada* to provide that The Presbyterian Church in Canada, as defined in section 1 of this Act, may use the name "The Presbyterian Church in Canada" but that such use shall be without prejudice to the rights or powers of The United Church of Canada as set forth in the said Act; and whereas application is also being made to the Parliament of Canada at the present session thereof for an Act intituled, *An Act to incorporate The Trustee Board of The Presbyterian Church in Canada* to provide that the said Board may acquire, take, hold and deal with real and personal property for and on behalf of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, as defined in section 1 of this Act; and whereas The Presbyterian Church in Canada as defined in section 1 of this Act has prayed that an Act may be passed respecting its property, rights and powers; and whereas it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said petition;

Therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, enacts as follows:

Definition of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

1. The words "The Presbyterian Church in Canada" occurring in this Act subsequent to this section mean and include only the congregations, members and adherents of The Presbyterian Church in Canada who did not on the 10th day of June, 1925, become part of The United Church of Canada and those persons who have since that date joined or may hereafter join with them as members or adherents, and notwithstanding anything contained in *The United Church of Canada Act*, being Chapter 125 of the Statutes of Ontario, 1925, the said congregations, members, adherents and persons may use the name "The Presbyterian Church in Canada", but this shall not in any way prejudice or affect the rights or powers of The United Church of Canada or of any constituent part thereof or of any corporation, board, committee or other body created by or under the government or control of or in connection with The United Church of Canada or of any congregation thereof.

1925, c. 125.

Power to acquire property.

2. The Trustee Board of The Presbyterian Church in Canada hereinafter called "the Board", incorporated by the Parliament of Canada, shall at all times be entitled to purchase, lease, acquire, have, take, hold, receive and enjoy all or any property, real and personal, whatsoever in Ontario.

Property vested in Board.

3. Save as otherwise provided in this Act, all gifts, devises, deeds, conveyances, transfers or leases of any real property or of any interest therein and all gifts, bequests, assignments or transfers of any personal property or of any interest therein which have been or shall hereafter be made to or intended for, The Presbyterian Church in Canada or any of the trusts in connection with the said church, or any of the institutions, organizations, schemes or funds of the said church shall vest in the Board as fully and effectually as if any such gift, devise, deed, conveyance, transfer, lease, bequest or assignment had been made to the Board and shall be held and administered by the Board for the general benefit of the said church, unless intended for the specific benefit of any trust,

institution, organization, scheme, or fund of the said church when the same shall be held and administered by the Board for such specific benefit, but nothing in this Act contained shall vest in the Board any real or personal property or any interest therein which the Board shall decide not to accept.

Property vested in Board subject to trusts.

4. All property real and personal, which shall be vested in or held by the Board for any general or special purposes or trusts of or in any way connected with The Presbyterian Church in Canada shall be held for the purposes and trusts, and with, under and subject to the same powers and provisions, as are in force or declared under any deed, instrument or statute affecting such property respectively.

Property held by trustees to be transferred to Board.

5. Save as otherwise provided in this Act, every person in whom any property, real or personal, or any interest therein, shall have become vested heretofore, or shall become vested from time to time hereafter, by statute, or by order of a commission, or by gift, devise, deed, conveyance, transfer, lease, bequest, or assignment, or in any other manner, upon trust for The Presbyterian Church in Canada, or any of the trusts in connection with the said church, or any of the institutions, organizations, schemes or funds of the said church shall upon the request of the Board and at the Board's expense forthwith assign, convey or otherwise transfer such property or interest therein to the Board, and shall sign and execute all such deeds and instruments, and do all such acts, as may be necessary for that purpose.

Release of former trustees.

6. When any property, real or personal, or any interest therein, shall have been assigned, conveyed or otherwise transferred to the Board as aforesaid all rights, powers, and liabilities of the person or persons in whom the same was theretofore vested shall cease and determine and he or they shall thenceforth be wholly released and discharged from the performance of the trusts and the exercise of the rights, powers or duties, previously imposed upon or exercisable by him or them: Provided that nothing herein shall be deemed to prevent any such person from being called on to account for any moneys received or expended, or for the doing or non-performance of any act, matter, or thing in relation to the trust, prior to the assignment, conveyance or transfer of such property as aforesaid.

Board to have power to enforce existing contracts.

7. All contracts of every kind in existence at the date of the incorporation of the Board, and which could be enforced by or against the trustees of any property affected by the operation of this Act, or any committee or other persons or body in whom any such property may have been vested at the date aforesaid, and all rights, remedies, and powers in existence or which may afterwards exist or arise upon or in respect of any such contract or in relation thereto, shall be exercised and enforced only by or against the Board.

Income from funds held by Board.

8. The Board shall at all times on the request of the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, or on the request of the Board of Administration of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, or other board or committee which may from time to time be charged with the management of the trusts, institutions, organizations, schemes and funds, respectively, of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, pay the rents, income or produce of any real property or interests therein, and of any personal property, or interests therein, to the treasurer of The Presbyterian Church in Canada for the benefit of the said trusts, institutions, organizations, schemes, and funds respectively, and shall also at the like request sell and convert into money the real property, or

interests therein, and the personal property, or interests therein, subject to the trusts on which the same may be held, and shall pay the proceeds of the said sales to the said treasurer for the benefit of the said trusts, institutions, organizations, schemes, and funds respectively: Provided, and it is hereby expressly declared, that no purchaser from the Board shall be bound to see that the said request shall have been made, or to inquire as to the application of the said purchase money, or the regularity of the appointment or proceedings of the Board; and the execution of any grant, deed, conveyance, transfer, lease, assignment, release, discharge, or other instrument, shall be deemed sufficient and conclusive when executed as hereinafter set forth.

Property conveyed to Board for congregations to be formed.

9. All purchases, gifts, devises, deeds, conveyances, transfers or leases of lands which may be made for or to The Presbyterian Church in Canada as a site for a church, manse, school, or cemetery, for the use of a congregation not then organized, shall vest in the Board in trust to convey the same to the trustees of such congregation when it shall have been organized under the sanction of the presbytery within the bounds of which it is situate, or in default of such organization in trust to sell the same and pay the proceeds of such sale to the treasurer of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, for such trusts, institutions, organizations, schemes or funds thereof as may be determined from time to time by the General Assembly of the said Church.

Property of congregations ceasing to exist.

10. All lands and premises and personal property and assets which have been, or shall hereafter at any time, be held by any trustee or trustees for any congregation of The Presbyterian Church in Canada which shall have ceased to exist shall vest in the Board upon trust to sell, get in and realize the same and to pay the proceeds to the treasurer of The Presbyterian Church in Canada for such trusts, institutions, organizations, schemes or funds thereof as may be determined from time to time by the General Assembly of the said church.

Act not to apply to certain trusts.

11. Except as provided by sections 9 and 10 nothing in this Act contained shall affect or apply to the trustees of, or the trust property under, or the administration of, any trusts upon which any property, real or personal, or any interest therein, is now held for the benefit of, or in connection with, any congregation of The Presbyterian Church in Canada under any statute, instrument, will, trust deed or otherwise, or held by such trustees upon any congregational trusts whatsoever, and nothing in this Act contained shall affect or apply to any gift, devise, deed, conveyance, transfer or lease of any real property or any interest therein or any gift, bequest, assignment or transfer of personal property or any interest therein which shall hereafter be made to or intended for the benefit of any congregation of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Incidental powers of Board.

12. In addition to and without in any way limiting the powers exercisable by the Board under this Act or under any other law or statute applicable to it, it is hereby declared that the Board shall possess and may exercise from time to time the following incidental and ancillary powers:—

Investments.

(*a*) Power to invest and reinvest or lend moneys in or upon any securities real or personal in which a life insurance company carrying on business in Canada may from time to time invest or lend moneys, and the Board shall have all such rights and remedies for the collection and enforcement or repayment of an investment or loan as any individual would have;

Borrowing.

(*b*) Power to borrow money for its purposes upon its credit and to mortgage, hypothecate or pledge any property, real or personal, vested in or held by it as security for any loan;

Negotiable instruments.

(*c*) Power to make, accept, draw, endorse, and execute, bills of exchange, promissory notes, orders for the payment of money, and other negotiable instruments;

Annuities.

(*d*) Power to receive and hold for the benefit of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, or any of the trusts in connection with the said church, or any of the institutions, or organizations, schemes, or funds, of the said church, sums of money in consideration of the payment, during the life of the donor or during any other period, of interest thereon at such rate as may from time to time be agreed upon, or in consideration of the payment of an annuity or annuities to any person or persons in respect thereof. But this power shall not authorize the Board to engage in the business of insurance.

No personal liability on members of Board.

13. No personal liability shall attach to any of the members of the Board for the failure of any investment or security which may be made or taken by the Board as authorized by this Act.

Execution of documents under seal.

14. All grants, conveyances, deeds, transfers, leases, assignments, releases, discharges, and other instruments, shall be made and executed by the Board under its corporate seal, attested by the signatures of any two members of the Board, and when so made and executed shall be sufficient and conclusive.

Vacancies on Board.

15. (1) If any member of the Board shall die, or resign his office, or refuse or neglect to act, or shall cease to reside in Canada for more than twelve months in succession, or shall become mentally incompetent, he shall be deemed to have vacated his office as a member of the Board.

Filling vacancies on Board.

(2) In the case of a vacancy or vacancies occurring in the membership of the Board at any time the Board of Administration of The Presbyterian Church in Canada or the Executive Committee thereof may fill any or all of such vacancies and the person or persons so appointed shall hold office until the next meeting of the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada and until their successors are appointed. At its next meeting the General Assembly of the said church shall appoint members to fill such vacancies and the members temporarily appointed by the Board of Administration or the Executive Committee thereof shall be eligible for appointment by the said General Assembly.

Power of General Assembly to remove members of Board.

16. The General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada may also at any time, by resolution passed by such Assembly, remove any member of the Board from office, without having or alleging any cause for such removal, and may appoint some person as a member of the Board in his place and stead.

Reports to General Assembly.

17. The Board shall present to the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada at each meeting thereof a report in which shall be set forth fully the various moneys, securities, and property, real and personal, which shall have come into its hands since its last preceding report, and the moneys, securities, and property still held by it, and in which shall also be set forth fully the disposition made by the Board since its last preceding report of any moneys, securities, and property, and the income thereof.

Power of General Assembly, etc., to make regulations, etc.

18. The General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada may from time to time make, amend and repeal by-laws, resolutions, rules and regulations for the government and control of the Board, and may from time to time delegate to the Board of Administration of The Presbyterian Church in Canada, or to the Executive Committee thereof, or to any specially appointed committee thereof, all or any part of its powers as to, and jurisdiction over, the Board. Until the said General Assembly makes by-laws, resolutions, rules or regulations for the government and control of the Board, the Board shall be subject to the government and control of the said Board of Administration.

Copies of documents to be evidence.

19. All copies of any by-laws, resolutions, rules or regulations, or any amendments or alterations thereto purporting to be made under the provisions of this Act, purporting to be under the seal of the Board, and to be signed by any two members of the Board, shall be *prima facie* evidence in all courts of the contents thereof without proof of the authenticity of such seal or signatures.

Statutes of Mortmain not to apply.

20. The powers conferred on the Board by this Act to purchase, lease, acquire, have, take, hold, receive and enjoy all or any property, real and personal whatsoever in Ontario shall not be limited or affected by the provisions of any statute respecting Mortmain in force in Ontario.

Commencement of Act.

21. This Act shall come into force on the day upon which it receives the Royal Assent.

DR. EPHRAIM SCOTT FUND FOR THE RELIEF OF MINISTERS AND THEIR FAMILIES

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

This Fund established by the late Dr. Ephraim Scott has been of assistance and blessing to many since it was started. The original capital has been increased by gifts, so that it now stands at $57,590 24, an increase of $800.00.

In addition generous gifts from friends have been received again during the past year, amounting to $601.00, for which the Committee desires to make most grateful acknowledgment. These gifts supplementing the income from the invested capital, enabled the Committee to continue assistance and to extend it to new applicants in cases of urgent need.

It is necessary, however, to point out once more that the income is still quite inadequate to provide even a small measure of assistance to all cases of real need which come before the Committee. In the case of most of these applications this Fund appears to offer the only channel through which sorely needed assistance can be given. It is, therefore, our hope that the resources of this most deserving Fund will be supplemented by generous gifts either to capital or income so as to ensure continuance of the help now given.

Assistance was given during the year to nineteen applicants of whom seven were ministers and twelve ministers' widows or relatives. There were three deaths, and four new applicants were added.

A financial statement follows.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. W. MacNAMARA,
Secretary.

JOSEPH WASSON,
Chairman.

DR. EPHRAIM SCOTT BENEVOLENT FUND

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JAN. 31ST, 1939

	Income		
Jan. 31, 1938	Balance	$923.58	
	Less Accrued Interest	541.89	
		$ 381.69	
		601.00	
Jan. 31, 1939	Donations	2,859.37	
	Income on Investments	12.84	
	Bank Interest		$3,854.90
	Expenditures		
		$3,130.00	
Jan. 31, 1939	Benevolences	2.05	
	Expenses		$3,132.05
	Balance at Credit of Income Account		722.85
			$3,854.90

THE MORGAN MEMORIAL HOUSE

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Committee appointed by the Board of Administration to supervise the property and exercise control of its occupancy have great pleasure in reporting that during the past year the House has been fully and continually occupied.

All necessary repairs have been made and certain improvements carried out, all well within the income of the Home, and there is now a substantial balance set aside which should take care of possible future charges against the property.

The Committee are now directing their attention to the grounds of the Home and expect within a short time to make the Home as beautiful as it is useful.

A statement of receipts and expenditures is attached.

W. T. McCREE, *Chairman.* J. W. MacNAMARA, *Secretary.*

THE MORGAN MEMORIAL HOUSE

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT—JANUARY 31ST, 1938, TO JANUARY 31ST, 1939

Balance in Bank, January 31st, 1938		$395.03
Receipts		
Interest on Mortgage Investment	$240.00	
Interest on Bank Account	7.34	
Interest on Dominion Bonds	350.00	
Rent from Tenants	280.00	
		877.34
		$1,272.37
Expenditure		
Electric Power	$ 13.74	
Oil and Furnace Expenses	265.70	
Water Rates	20.00	
Snow and Grass Attention	8.50	
Coal	42.42	
Painting and Repairs	114.77	
Travelling Expenses	12.24	
Taxes	100.75	
	$578.12	
Less Exchange	.15	
		$577.97
Balance in Bank, January 31st, 1939		$694.40

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST JANUARY, 1939

Assets		
Cash in Bank		$ 694.40
Investments, including accrued interest:		
Bonds	$9,873.28	
Mortgage	6,060.00	
		15,933.28
Alterations to Buildings		1,469.65
		$18,097.33
Liabilities		
Capital		$16,260.10
Income Account (Balance)		1,737.23
Sinking Fund		100.00
		$18,097.33

"PENMARVIAN" MEMORIAL HOME

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

The Committee appointed by the Board of Administration to supervise and operate the Home reports as follows:—

This valuable property situated on the banks of the Grand River in Paris, Ont., consisting of twelve acres of beautifully wooded lawns and extensive gardens, and one of the most attractive homes in the western part of the Province, and bequeathed to The Presbyterian Church in Canada, under the terms of the Will of the late John Penman, is a Home for aged and infirm ministers, and missionaries, and their wives.

Numerous improvements have been made to the property during the past year with a view to making it an ideal residence for retired ministers, and missionaries of our Church.

The inside staff consists of a matron, cook, and maid; the outside staff of a gardener and assistant gardener.

At the end of the year there were nine guests in the Home, which is almost the limit of our accommodation, but steps are now being taken to increase this somewhat.

Up to the present Penmarvian has been a decided success, and is to-day filling a long felt want in providing accommodation for those who have served their Church and who are deserving of a home in which they can spend their declining years.

A statement of receipts and expenditures is appended.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

A. C. STEWART,
Chairman.

J. W. MACNAMARA,
Secretary.

PENMARVIAN—INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNTS JANUARY 31ST, 1938 AND 1939

Income

	1937		*1938*	
Balance, January 31st				$ 675.40
Interest	$5,104.18		$4,375.05	
Fees per guests	147.80		1,091.23	
Meals	.60		14.85	
		$5,252.58		5,481.13
				$6,156.53

Expenditure

Taxes and Water	$ 558.84		$ 558.39	
Repairs to Property	205.12		657.01	
Insurance	125.38		113.80	
Fuel	662.05		593.50	
Electric Light and Power	74.45		88.67	
Telephone	32.72		29.69	

	1937		*1938*	
Travelling Expenses, Committee, etc.	$ 38.18		$ 84.66	
Household and Garden Supplies	623.04		526.82	
Stationery, Postage, Exchange, and Commission Money Orders	136.54		24.75	
Salaries and Wages	1,356.50		1,948.72	
Food	183.47		774.05	
Miscellaneous	5.50		14.87	
		$3,901.79		$5,414.93
		$1,350.79		$741.60
Operating Balance	$675.39			
Transferred to Equipment Account	675.40			
Balance into Year 1938				
	$1,350.79	$1,350.79		
Balance		$675.40		

BALANCE SHEETS AS AT 31ST JANUARY, 1938 AND 1939

Assets

	1937		*1938*	
Equipment Account	$ 1,010.61		$ 1,010.61	
Controlling Account with General Funds	102,027.01		102,152.05	
Petty Cash	15.00		15.00	
Bank Account, Paris	122.75		63.94	
		$103,175.40		$103,241.60

Liabilities

Endowment	$100,000.00		$100,000.00	
To Residuary Legatees	2,500.00		2,500.00	
Balance Income and Expenditure Account	675.40		741.60	
		$103,175.40		$103,241.60

TREASURER'S REPORT

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st JANUARY, 1939

ASSETS

PENSION FUND:

Cash in Bank		$ 19,657.31
Investments (book value):		
Bonds and Debentures	$783,198.20	
Mortgages	22,764.40	
		805,962.60
Interest Due and Accrued on Investments		11,504.64
Receivable from Church Budget	$37,921.38	
Receivable from Church Budget (subsequently paid in March, 1939)	5,000.00	
		42,921.38
		$880,045.93

LIABILITIES

PENSION FUND:

Capital Account as at 31st January, 1938		$789,265.83
Additions thereto:		
Ministers Rates	$14,274.65	
Congregations	2,511.25	
Women's Missionary Society (W.D.)	1,309.88	
Estates	6,725.00	
		24,820.78
		$814,086.61
Deduct:		
Refunds		662.93
Capital as at 31st January, 1939		$813,423.68
Reserve Fund		24,471.87
Income Account as at 31st January, 1938		$52,372.75
Add:		
Interest on Investments	$35,451.47	
Bank Interest	737.24	
Interest on Amount owing from Budget	1,458.52	
Interest *re* Ministers Rates	43.17	
From Church Budget 1938	5,000.00	
		42,690.40
		$95,063.15
Deduct:		
Annuities	$51,612.24	
Expenses	1,300.60	
		52,912.84
Balance as at 31st January, 1939		42,150.31

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET—Continued

Emergency Fund as at 31st January, 1938	$36.07	
Deduct:		
Grants	36.00	
		.07
Balance as at 31st January, 1939		$880,045.93

ASSETS

CHURCH AND MANSE BOARD:

Cash in Bank		$ 6,401.77
Loans on Properties	$152,452.71	
Less Reserve Provided	100,000.00	
		52,452.71
Investments, including interest (book value)		1,767.50
Property held for sale		3,787.46
		$64,409.44

LIABILITIES

CHURCH AND MANSE BOARD:

Liability to Presbytery of Toronto	$ 1,537.03
Capital Account	62,872.41
	$64,409.44

ASSETS

CHURCH EXTENSION FUND:

Loans to Congregations	$243,721.79	
Less Reserve Provided	75,000.00	
		$168,721.79
Investments, including interest (book value)		2,811.83
Receivable from General Funds		6,180.76
		$177,714.38

LIABILITIES

CHURCH EXTENSION FUND:

Bank Overdraft	$ 32,880.83
Capital Account	144,833.55
	$177,714.38

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET—Continued

ASSETS

PROPERTY AND GENERAL FUND:

Knox College:		
Land and Buildings	$921,021.00	
Endowments	386,777.67	
		$1,307,798.67
Montreal College:		
Land and Buildings	$315,634.00	
Endowments	301,096.83	
		616,730.83
Home Mission Properties:		
Land, Buildings and Equipment		152,758.02
Foreign Mission Properties:		
Land, Buildings and Equipment		271,383.29
Pictou Boys' Residence Property	$65,000.00	
Less Reserve Provided	20,000.00	
		45,000.00
Deaconess Training Home:		
Land, Buildings and Equipment		36,271.82
Scott Institute Property		40,391.79
Palmerston Boulevard Property		20,000.00
		$2,490,334.42
Formosa Mission Council—Funds on the Field		6,765.00
Cash on Hand	$ 225.00	
Investments:		
Bonds, Stocks and Mortgages, including interest due and accrued (book value)	120,113.07	
		120,338.07
Sundry Accounts Receivable		26.00
Loan Montreal College		5,000.00
Collections subsequent to 31st January, 1939, to apply on 1938 Budget		32,711.65
Deficit		196,211.94
		$2,851,387.08

LIABILITIES

PROPERTY AND GENERAL FUND:

Capital		$1,656,613.50
Reserves for Depreciation:		
Knox College	$401,921.00	
Montreal College	150,000.00	
Home Mission Properties	34,593.94	
Foreign Mission Properties	103,586.54	
Scott Institute	9,472.52	
		699,574.00
Mortgages and Agreements Payable:		
Pictou Academy Educational Foundation	$28,750.00	
Deaconess Training Home	15,000.00	
Palmerston Boulevard Property	7,900.00	
Vancouver Property	2,200.00	
Accrued Interest	424.28	
		54,274.28
Bank Overdraft	$204,541.05	
1939 Budget Receipts	2,364.65	
Accounts Payable	1,000.00	
Pension Fund	42,921.38	
Church Extension Fund	6,180.76	
Sundry Trust Funds	50,262.64	
Sundry Liabilities to Presbyteries and Others	1,186.22	
		308,456.70

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET—Continued

Liability Reserves:		
To Home Missions	$61,819.69	
To Foreign Missions	43,817.33	
		$105,637.02
Liability Reserves for Equipment:		
To Home Missions	$13,861.00	
To Foreign Missions	12,970.58	
		26,831.58
Contingent Liability, $11,275.00.		$2,851,387.08

SUNDRY TRUST FUNDS

ASSETS

DR. EPHRAIM SCOTT:

Cash in Bank	$ 2,014.88
Investments, including accrued interest (book value)	56,298.21
	$58,313.09

LIABILITIES

DR. EPHRAIM SCOTT:

Capital	$57,590.24
Income	722.85
	$58,313.09

ASSETS

SELKIRK MEMORIAL FUND:

Cash in Bank	$ 39.94
Investments (book value)	982.56
	$1,022.50

LIABILITIES

SELKIRK MEMORIAL FUND:

Capital	$1,000.00
Income	22.50
	$1,022.50

ASSETS

MORGAN MEMORIAL HOUSE:

Cash in Bank		$ 694.40
Investments, including accrued interest (book value):		
Bonds	$9,873.28	
Mortgage	6,060.00	
		15,933.28
		$16,627.68

LIABILITIES

MORGAN MEMORIAL HOUSE:

Capital	$16,260.10
Income	267.58
Sinking Fund	100.00
	$16,627.68

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET—Continued

ASSETS

ANDREW MCCORMICK:

Investments (book value)	$37,896.25
Receivable from General Funds	4,251.20
	$42,147.45

LIABILITIES

ANDREW MCCORMICK:

Capital	$41,545.45
Income	602.00
	$42,147.45

ASSETS

MISSIONARY AND DEACONESS TRAINING HOME:

Cash on Hand and in Banks	$2,459.44
Investments (book value)	6,300.00
	$8,759.44

LIABILITIES

MISSIONARY AND DEACONESS TRAINING HOME:

Capital Account	$8,273.79
Bursary Account	485.65
	$8,759.44

ASSETS

PENMARVIAN TRUST:

Cash on Hand and in Banks	$100,078.94
Receivable from General Funds	2,152.05
Equipment	800.00
	$103,030.99

LIABILITIES

PENMARVIAN TRUST:

Endowment Fund	$100,000.00
Income	530.99
Residuary Legatees	2,500.00
	$103,030.99

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA
COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES
FOR THE PERIOD 1ST FEBRUARY, 1937, TO 31ST JANUARY, 1939

STATEMENT OF REVENUE

BUDGET REVENUE	*1st Feb., 1937 to 31st Jan., 1938*	*1st Feb., 1938 to 31st Jan., 1939*
Unapportioned	$197,967.14	$225,258.14
Home and Foreign Missions	81,284.30	70,684.49
Rally Day Collections	2,978.78	3,153.86
Mother's Day Collections	2,663.39	2,983.12
Thank-offering	7,274.74	3,386.82
Relief Western Canada Ministers	1,713.57	.....
Special Spring Offering	.....	1,806.19
	$293,881.92	$307,272.62
SUNDRY BUDGET REVENUE AND OTHER ITEMS		
S.S. and Y.P.S. (Peace River Project)	2,015.00	1,140.27
S.S. and Y.P.S.	45.00	75.00
Royalties "Church Praise"	667.11	809.16
Royalties "Book of Forms"	.....	26.85
Sundries	286.01	.....
Rent received from Home Mission Properties	.....	651.62
W.M.S. (E.D.)	7,000.00	6,165.00
Legacies	.....	3,453.77
Relief Protestant Churches in Europe	50.00	50.00
Subscription for Evangelism Committee	75.00	.....
S.S. and Y.P.S. Bhil Project	.....	431.71
Jewish Work in Toronto	.....	565.00
Piano for Kirkland Lake	.....	35.00
Pension Fund	.....	500.00
Commission Duplex Envelopes	.....	516.67
Royalties Book of Common Order	.....	105.00
	$304,020.04	$321,797.67

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

GENERAL ASSEMBLY		
Commissioners' and Speakers' Expenses	$6,755.07	$5,436.19
The Alliance of Reformed Churches	265.60	263.74
Moderator's Expenses	1,343.00	938.88
Printing and Sundries	4,469.76	4,439.27
Totals	$12,833.43	$11,078.08
COMMISSIONS AND COMMITTEES		
Correspondence with other churches	$ 19.80	.....
Board of Education	191.16	$ 75.45
Evangelism, Church Life and Work	101.75	121.75
Re MacOdrum Appeal	.....	171.20
Survey	380.27	.....
Conference with United Church	46.55	.....
Sustentation	21.20	3.50
Advise with the Moderator	2.60	.....
Relief Protestant Churches in Europe	300.00	385.25

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES—Continued

	1st Feb., 1937 to 31st Jan., 1938	1st Feb., 1938 to 31st Jan., 1939
Re Appeal of Andrew Hood	$11.20	.....
Summer Session in Theology	22.75	.....
Book of Common Order	53.20	$737.75
Location of Church Offices	5.10	.....
Committee to Strike Standing Committees	.....	15.00
Totals	$1,155.58	$1,509.90
KNOX COLLEGE		
From Church Budget	$12,600.00	$12,100.00
MONTREAL COLLEGE		
From Church Budget	$13,500.00	$13,000.00
PICTOU BOYS' RESIDENCE		
From Church Budget	$1,531.43	$1,982.43
GENERAL OFFICE		
Rent	$3,232.80	$2,746.62
Office Expenses	1,171.51	1,378.71
Totals	$4,404.31	$4,125.33
ADMINISTRATION		
Salaries	$13,179.00	$13,291.11
Expenses	1,599.93	1,828.22
Totals	$14,778.93	$15,119.33
SUNDAY SCHOOLS AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES		
Salaries	$5,526.00	$5,598.25
Travelling Expenses	680.37	916.45
Publications, Supplies, etc.	354.36	693.09
Sundries	200.00	200.00
Rally Day Charges against the Fund	1,485.20	1,385.56
Mother's Day Fund Expenses	450.53	417.23
Totals	$8,696.46	$9,210.58
DEACONESS TRAINING HOME		
Salaries	$3,068.00	$2,913.00
Expenses	902.76	1,164.59
Totals	$3,970.76	$4,077.59
GENERAL BOARD OF MISSIONS		
Salaries	$3,350.00	$3,065.00
Travelling Expenses	2,215.30	2,136.82
Sundries	430.12	565.58
Totals	$5,995.42	$5,767.40
HOME MISSIONS		
Synodical Missionaries Salaries	$ 9,180.00	$ 9,180.00
" " Travelling Expenses	1,667.01	1,576.33
Western Ministers Relief	1,061.23	1,570.43
Missionaries Salaries	17,757.83	15,521.56
" Rent	2,226.51	2,090.00
" Expenses	450.20	37.50

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES—Continued

	1st Feb., 1937 to 31st Jan., 1938	1st Feb., 1938 to 31st Jan., 1939
Students Travelling Expenses	$ 3,538.24	$ 2,778.59
Home Mission Committees and Conveners	304.72	107.84
Grants	97,209.15	95,875.61
Tyndale House, Montreal	3,300.00	3,300.00
Neighborhood House, Hamilton	2,756.00	2,551.00
Redemptive Home, Toronto	1,500.00	1,607.10
Jewish Work, Toronto, Salaries	3,240.00	3,240.00
" " " Expenses	1,194.08	1,055.94
Chinese Work in Canada, Rent	400.00	400.00
" " " " Salaries	6,840.00	6,840.00
" " " " Travelling	349.65	570.70
Lantern Slide Department	.....	58.51
Property Expenses	640.70	628.86
Survey Maritimes, Travelling Expense	395.80	.....
New Carlisle School Home	.....	196.88
Sundry	38.06	.....
Piano, Kirkland Lake (See Receipts)	.....	35.00
Postage *re* Unemployed	.....	12.62
	$154,049.18	$149,234.47
Less Allocation from Home Mission Reserve	15,000.00	17,848.68
Totals	$139,049.18	$131,385.79
FOREIGN MISSIONS		
Sundries	$ 311.59	$ 632.05
Bhil Mission, Salaries and Expenses	21,365.62	22,999.60
Jhansi " " " "	11,543.80	11,015.17
Manchuria " " " "	10,197.08	10,445.00
Formosa " " " "	25,095.50	22,757.39
Korean " " " "	11,527.41	10,670.08
British Guiana " " "	13,789.88	13,557.53
Shanghai—Z. K. Zia, Salary	1,200.00	1,200.00
Canadian School of Missions	150.00	150.00
Canadian Academy, Kobe	350.00	350.00
Pyeng Yeng College, Korea	500.00	.....
	$96,030.88	$93,776.82
Less:		8,924.33
Allocation from Foreign Mission Reserve $15,000.00		
Amount from Estate Wm. Rodger 3,620.72	18,620.72	
Totals	$77,410.16	$84,852.49
Net Totals for Home and Foreign Missions	$222,454.76	$222,005.68
Budget and Stewardship Expenses	$1,408.93	$1,308.98
Pension Fund	$5,000.00	$5,000.00
Cost of Buying Rupees—Bhil and Jansi Fields	$2,460.82	$2,826.77
MISCELLANEOUS		
Interest and Exchange	$4,991.45	$5,629.12
Interest on Pension Fund Liability	1,486.48	1,458.52
Interest on Church Extension Fund Liability	242.25	237.72
Interest allowed on Mission Reserves and Other Funds	3,531.36	1,749.44
Annuity—McCallum	50.00	.....

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES—Continued

	1st Feb., 1937 to 31st Jan., 1938	*1st Feb., 1938 to 31st Jan., 1939*
Interest Deaconess Training Home Mortgage	$ 915.10	$ 900.00
Publicity	250.85	110.47
Interest on Penmarvian House Bequest	4,375.02	4,375.05
Expenses *re* Application for Incorporation	.....	553.66
Totals	$15,842.51	$15,013.98
Net Total Expenditure	$320,637.92	$318,358.65
The Presbyterian Record—		
Subscriptions and Advertising	$11,508.19	$11,119.15
Printing, Salaries and Other Expenses	11,800.98	11,744.34
Deficit	$292.79	Deficit $625.19

SUMMARY

Revenue 1st February, 1938, to 31st January, 1939	$321,797.67
Net Expenditure 1st February, 1938, to 31st January, 1939	318,358.65
General Surplus	$3,439.02
Deduct Deficit on *Record*	625.19
Surplus for Year	$2,813.83

DEFICIT ACCOUNT

Deficit as at 31st January, 1938	$201,444.57
Deduct Contributions towards Deficit	2,418.80
	$199,025.77
Surplus for year ending 31st January, 1939	2,813.83
Deficit as at 31st January, 1939	$196,211.94

E. W. McNEILL,
Treasurer.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Venerable the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada:

In accordance with your instructions, we have audited the books and accounts of The Presbyterian Church in Canada for the year ending 31st January, 1939.

The Cash on Hand was verified by count during the course of our audit and we received confirmation of the respective bank accounts from your bankers.

We examined the Bond and Debenture securities and found them to be in accord with the books. These securities are held for safekeeping in the vaults of the Toronto General Trusts Corporation. The investments are shown on the Balance Sheet at book value.

No provision has been made for any further depreciation on the various properties shown in the Balance Sheet and we have not verified the title to the real estate, mortgage investments, or loans, by search, certificate of title, confirmation or otherwise.

Subject to the foregoing, we certify that the Balance Sheet is, in our opinion, drawn up so as to show a true and correct view of the affairs of the Church, according to the information and explanations given us and as shown by the books.

HENRY BARBER, MAPP & MAPP,
Chartered Accountants.

Toronto, 12th April, 1939.

TREASURER'S STATEMENT

ANALYSIS OF BALANCE SHEET

January 31st, 1939

Property Account		$2,490,334.42	
Deduct:			
Depreciation Reserves	$699,574.00		
Mortgages and Agreements	54,274.28		
		753,848.28	$1,736,486.14
Add:			
Cash on Hand		$ 225.00	
Sundry Accounts		26.00	
Loan Montreal College		5,000.00	
Collections subsequent to January 31st to apply on 1938 Budget		32,711.65	
Funds on Foreign Mission Field		6,765.00	
			44,727.65
			$1,781,213.79
Deduct:			
1939 Budget Receipts		$ 2,364.65	
Accounts Payable		1,000.00	
Pension Fund		42,921.38	
Church Extension Fund		6,180.76	
Sundry Trust Funds		50,262.64	
Sundry Liabilities to Presbyteries and Others		1,186.22	
			103,915.65
			$1,677,298.14
Reserves	$132,468.60		
Less: Investments	120,113.07		
		$ 12,355.53	
Bank Overdraft		204,541.05	
			216,896.58
			$1,460,401.56
Capital Account		$1,656,613.50	
Accumulated Deficit		196,211.94	
			$1,460,401.56

NOTE.—The above Analysis does not include the following:—Pension Fund, Church Extension Fund, Church and Manse Fund, Selkirk Memorial Fund, Dr. Ephraim Scott Benevolent Fund, Morgan Memorial House, Penmarvian, Securities held for the Deaconess Training Home, the McCormick Estate, or Properties of Congregations.

E. W. McNEILL,
Treasurer.

LIST OF SECURITIES AS AT JANUARY 31st, 1939

KNOX COLLEGE—GENERAL ENDOWMENT:

Bonds:				
Morrisburg	1944-45	4½%		$ 5,496.07
Selkirk	1951	5 %		10,000.00
Taber	Yearly	5 %		5,973.59
Markham	"	5 %		2,049.75
Edmonton	1967	5 %		9,908.00
Hydro Electric	1941	6 %		10,005.71
Dominion	1959	4½%		50,226.30
Oshawa	1939	5 %		4,906.00
Sudbury	1949	5 %		3,147.47
Montreal Protestant School	1956	5 %		10,977.00
Calgary	1970	5 %		5,083.78
Swansea	1942	5 %		6,001.80
Toronto	1940	6 %		3,065.00
Toronto	1946	5 %		1,992.50
Toronto	1950	5½%		2,083.56
New Brunswick	1957	5 %		2,180.76
Winnipeg	1943	5 %		1,006.95
Winnipeg	1944	5 %		5,045.00
New Brunswick	1952	5½%		5,693.56
Winnipeg	1942	6 %		4,101.80
Ontario	1948	5 %		4,318.45
Ontario	1947	5½%		10,991.49
Hamilton	1952	6 %		1,148.74
New Brunswick	1952	5½%		5,662.59
New Brunswick	1950	5½%		5,665.56
New Brunswick	1950	5½%		564.30
Montreal	1945	5 %		5,278.04
New Brunswick	1957	5 %		4,455.62
New Brunswick	1952	5½%		554.18
New Brunswick	1963	5 %		1,080.76
Nova Scotia	1960	5 %		9,310.40
				$197,974.73
Stocks:				
Bank of Nova Scotia	25 Shares			$ 5,000.00
Bank of Nova Scotia	5 "			1,250.00
Huron and Erie Loan and Savings	29 "			3,059.50
Cockshutt Plow Company	150 "			756.25
Mortgages and Interest				53,348.10
				$261,388.58
Total				

KNOX COLLEGE—SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT:

Bonds:			
Toronto	1942-44	5 %	$9,760.00
Toronto	1946	5 %	8,717.19
Toronto	1968	4½%	9,303.99
Vancouver	1943	5 %	3,905.20
Napanee	1947	5½%	2,238.36
Toronto	1944	6 %	1,033.48
Montreal	1958	4½%	1,068.78
Dominion	1948	5 %	1,079.62
Ontario	1952	6 %	3,539.28
Hamilton	1960	5 %	2,290.80
Nova Scotia			$42,936.70
Mortgages and Interest			10,700.00
Total			$53,636.70

LIST OF SECURITIES HELD—Continued

KNOX COLLEGE—NON-COMPETITIVE SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT:

Bonds:			
Vancouver	1968	4½%	$9,304.01
Windsor	1975	3¼%	2,500.00
Toronto	1947-50	5½%	2,432.28
Montreal	1944	6 %	1,550.22
New Brunswick	1957	5 %	545.18
New Brunswick	1957	5 %	3,225.00
			$19,556.69
Mortgage			3,518.00
Total			$23,074.69

KNOX COLLEGE—DONALD MCLELLAN ESTATE:

Bonds:			
Alberta	1958	4½%	$ 2,381.25
Montreal	1944	6 %	1,550.22
Dominion	1958	4½%	8,870.60
			$12,802.07
Mortgages and Interest			4,500.00
Total			$17,302.07

KNOX COLLEGE—THE JOSEPH HENDERSON BURSARY:

Bonds:			
Bell Telephone	1957	5 %	$5,000.00
Dominion	1958	4½%	1,816.85
Total			$6,816.85

KNOX COLLEGE—THE M. G. ABEY BURSARY:

Bonds:			
Sudbury	1949	5 %	$1,100.00
Toronto	1946	5 %	1,245.31
New Brunswick	1957	5 %	1,075.00
			$3,420.31
Mortgage			4,000.00
Total			$7,420.31

KNOX COLLEGE—ORGAN UP-KEEP FUND:

Bonds:			
Sudbury	1949	5 %	$ 600.00
Toronto	1950	5½%	1,167.36
New Brunswick	1957	5 %	1,075.00
			$2,842.36

KNOX COLLEGE—Total Investments held for various funds as follows:—

General Endowment	$261,388.58
Scholarship Endowment	53,636.70
Non-Competitive Scholarship Endowment	23,074.69
Donald McLellan Estate	17,302.07
The Joseph Henderson Bursary	6,816.85
The M. G. Abey Bursary	7,420.31
The Organ Up-Keep Fund	2,842.36
	$372,481.56

LIST OF SECURITIES HELD—Continued

Home and Foreign Mission Reserves (from Bequests):

Bonds:			
Dominion	1944	4½%	$2,100.00
"	1958	5½%	106.00
"	1959	4½%	1,000.00
"	1943	5 %	500.00
"	1940	4½%	500.00
"	1948	5 %	2,500.00
Ontario	1940	6 %	500.00
Saskatchewan	1956	4½%	982.56
Canadian National Railway	1940	5 %	1,436.25
Oak Bay	1941	6 %	1,060.00
Hydro Electric (Ontario)			1.00
St. Lawrence Petroleum (written down)	1958	4½%	100.00
Dominion			1,000.00
Inverness (written down)			5,000.00
Alberta (written down)	1942	5½%	1,095.00
Ontario			466.65
Thorold (defaulter)	1956	5 %	820.00
Calgary	1945	4½%	1,000.00
Toronto	1953	5 %	721.50
Postal Telegraph			161.00
Nova Scotia Steel and Coal	1951	5 %	1,055.00
Halifax	1949	3½%	1,071.40
Dominion	1958-59	4½%	1,672.50
"	1945	4 %	1,500.00
"	1943	5 %	2,160.00
Winnipeg (Acc. W.M.S., Paris, Ont.) from Martha Penman Estate	1958	4½%	4,999.99
	1949	3½%	3,057.00
Dominion	1958	4½%	7,486.80
"	1969	5 %	2,370.00
Canadian National Railway	1961	4½%	2,105.00
B.C. Telephone	1953	5 %	2,260.00
Cedar Rapids Manufacturing & Power Co.	1956	5 %	1,027.50
Gatineau Power Co.	1947	4 %	2,070.00
Montreal Coke	1966	4½%	1,022.50
Saguenay	1961	4 %	3,950.00
Shawinigan Water and Power	1939	3 %	2,700.00
Montreal Light, Heat and Power	1949	3½%	1,995.00
Nova Scotia (per Mrs. Jessie F. Auld)	1949	3½%	498.75
Nova Scotia (Income for Brampton Church)	1945	4 %	1,085.00
Dominion	1945	4 %	300.00
"			3,200.00
Guaranteed Trust Certificate			
			$68,636.40
Accrued Interest			699.86
			$69,336.26

Mortgages:

Christina Howe Estate	$2,010.00
Rebecca Beatty Buck	5,000.00
" " "	2,375.00
" " "	3,000.00
" " "	1,800.00
" " "	3,596.25
	$17,781.25

LIST OF SECURITIES HELD—Continued

Shares:

Bank of Montreal	2		$ 500.00
Maple Leaf Milling	6		37.50
Canada Permanent	16		2,224.00
Nova Scotia Steel and Coal	9		1.00
Continental Milling	5		1.00
Jubilee Mining and Development	300		1.00
Eastern Car	2	(Prefd.)	100.00
Royal Bank	12		1,920.00
Bank of Montreal	126		24,446.00
Canadian Pacific Railway	270		2,227.50
Royal Bank	3		555.00
			$32,013.00

Summary for Home and Foreign Mission Reserves:

Bonds	$69,336.26
Mortgages	17,781.25
Shares	32,013.00
	$119,130.51

Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies:

Bonds	$982.56
	$120,113.07

Aid of Small Churches (Andrew McCormick Estate):

Bonds:			
Dominion	1943	5 %	$5,725.00
"	1946	4½%	565.00
"	1940	4½%	1,642.50
"	1945	4 %	1,642.50
"	1944	4½%	565.00
"	1949	3½%	2,112.50
"	1959	4½%	4,520.00
"	1957	4½%	2,240.00
"	1958	4½%	3,946.25
Canadian National Railway Company	1969	5 %	1,205.00
Eastern Dairies	1949	6 %	1,615.00
Province Quebec	1963	4½%	1,140.00
Dryden Paper Company	1949	6 %	510.00
McCormicks Ltd.			305.00
Burns & Co.			390.00
			$28,123.75
Shares:			
Bank of Nova Scotia	32		$8,960.00
McCormicks Ltd.	20		175.00
Burns & Co. Ltd.	2½		37.50
Mortgage			600.00
			$37,896.25

LIST OF SECURITIES HELD—Continued

PENSION FUND:

Bonds:			
Town of Cochrane	1947	5 %	$14,372.76
" " "	1947	5 %	14,372.74
"	1959	5 %	25,042.00
Ontario	1957	4½%	2,150.52
Canadian National Railway	1939	4½%	24,047.50
Toronto	1939	4½%	24,047.50
"	1957	4½%	1,000.00
Dominion	1958	4½%	200.00
"	1959	4½%	1,500.00
"	1970	4¾%	25,338.78
Ontario Hydro	1956	4½%	3,930.24
Canadian National Railway	1956	4½%	9,828.00
" " "	1949	3½%	4,844.00
Dominion	1958	4½%	1,068.74
"	1939	5½%	2,944.20
Toronto	1940	6 %	9,950.00
Montreal	1940	6 %	10,216.66
Toronto	1941	6 %	4,104.82
Montreal	1952	5½%	2,049.68
New Brunswick	1950	5½%	18,607.48
" "	1944	6 %	6,200.88
Montreal	1948	5 %	10,796.17
Ontario	1949-59	4½%	5,196.42
Dominion	1950	5½%	5,378.00
New Brunswick	1956	4½%	6,187.20
Dominion	1959	5 %	4,402.49
Nova Scotia	1947	5½%	3,310.90
Ontario	1946	5½%	13,034.16
"	1952	5½%	5,593.11
New Brunswick	1943	6 %	3,181.25
Ontario	1946	6 %	2,728.80
Hamilton	1952	6 %	4,117.71
"	1949	5 %	1,080.82
"	1952	5½%	11,397.50
New Brunswick	1954	5 %	3,326.66
Montreal	1963	5 %	8,037.02
New Brunswick	1959	5 %	5,673.36
Nova Scotia	1960	5 %	2,274.10
" "	1960	5 %	5,685.22
" "	1952	5½%	1,108.34
New Brunswick	1960	5 %	5,675.79
Nova Scotia	1959	5½%	5,995.66
Toronto	1950	5½%	4,388.44
New Brunswick	1963	5 %	5,420.67
" "	1941	4¼%	4,036.80
Montreal	1960	5 %	8,137.50
Nova Scotia	1960	5 %	3,436.20
" "	1960	5 %	5,767.00
" "	1960	5 %	3,436.20
" "	1960	5 %	2,290.80
" "	1960	5 %	1,145.40
" "	1940	4½%	106,000.00
Dominion	1948-58	4½%	137,862.01
"	1940	4½%	70,685.00
"	1944	4½%	54,413.75
"	1944	4½%	56,181.25
			$783,198.20
Mortgages			22,764.40
			$805,962.60

LIST OF SECURITIES HELD—Continued

CHURCH EXTENSION FUND:

Bond:			
Richmond-Bay Co	1947	6½%	$1,010.83
Shares:			
Bell Telephone	18		1,800.00
Miscellaneous			1.00
			$2,811.83

CHURCH AND MANSE FUND:

Bond:			
Dominion Perpetual		3 %	$1,767.50

DR. EPHRAIM SCOTT BENEVOLENT FUND:

Bonds:			
Canadian National Railway	1956	4½%	$ 3,943.56
" " "	1957	4½%	10,752.72
Dominion	1941	5 %	10,428.56
New Brunswick	1960	4¾%	10,698.06
" "	1957	5 %	2,725.91
Winnipeg	1944	5 %	4,036.00
"	1946	6 %	1,044.00
"	1946	6 %	1,044.00
Montreal	1944	6 %	5,296.10
Hamilton	1948	5 %	1,068.74
"	1952	6 %	1,745.83
Montreal Tramways	1955	5 %	874.72
New Brunswick	1963	5 %	1,084.13
Montreal	1941	4¼%	1,006.90
			$55,749.23
Accrued Interest			548.98
			$56,298.21

SELKIRK MEMORIAL FUND:

Bond:			
Canadian National Railway	1956	4½%	$982.56

MARY MORGAN MEMORIAL HOUSE:

Bond:			
Dominion of Canada	1949	3½%	$9,873.28
Mortgage			6,060.00
			$15,933.28

DEACONESS TRAINING HOME:

Bonds:			
Dominion	1949	3½%	$ 100.00
Dominion	1958	4½%	200.00
"	1943	4 %	1,000.00
Province of Ontario	1947	5½%	500.00
" " "	1946	5½%	500.00
" " "	1950	4½%	1,000.00
" " "	1949	4½%	500.00
" " "	1941	5 %	500.00
Dominion	1941	5 %	500.00
"	1952	4 %	500.00
"	1959	4½%	500.00
"	1966	3¼%	500.00
			$6,300.00

LIST OF SECURITIES HELD—Continued

SUMMARY OF BOOK VALUE OF SECURITIES HELD BY DEPARTMENTS NOT INCLUDING THE MONTREAL COLLEGE

Knox College	$372,481.56
Home and Foreign Missions Reserves and S.S. and Y.P.S.	120,113.07
Andrew McCormick Estate	37,896.25
Pension Fund	805,962.60
Church Extension Fund	2,811.83
Church and Manse Fund	1,767.50
Dr. Ephraim Scott Benevolent Fund	56,298.21
Selkirk Memorial Fund	982.56
Mary Morgan Memorial House	15,933.28
Deaconess Training Home	6,300.00
	$1,420,546.86

HOME MISSIONS—RESERVE FOR EQUIPMENT

1938			*31st January, 1939*
			$14,752.10
Jan. 31	Balance	$ 300.00	
Mar. 9	Hungarian Church, Windsor		53.00
Apr. 11	Lenore, Man.	150.00	
" 7	St. John's, Nfld., School Board	200.00	
	Nelson (Kootenay)	25.00	
	Elphinstone (Brandon)	100.00	
	Vermilion (Edmonton)	500.00	
" 12	Shediac, N.B.	500.00	
" 13	St. Stephen's, North Vancouver (Loan)	500.00	
" 22	Portage la Prairie (Loan)	37.50	
" 28	Vancouver Chinese Property, Acc. Mortgage	50.00	
June 20	Salmon Arm (Westminster)	500.00	
July 6	Brownvale, Sask.	25.80	
" 13	Lizard Point Reserve, Man.	100.00	
	Dewar Lake, Sask.	37.50	
" 27	Vancouver Chinese Property, Acc. Mortgage	250.00	
Oct. 24	St. Matthew's, Toronto	37.50	
Nov. 1	Vancouver Chinese Property, Acc. Mortgage	350.00	
" 7	Deseronto, Ont.	1.33	
" 9	Bank Charges Above	500.00	
" 12	Moosomin, Sask.	300.00	
	Penticton, B.C.	397.63	
1939			
Jan. 10	Kirkland Lake, Ont.	500.00	
" 21	Hungarian Church, Calgary		16.67
	Interest Portage la Prairie	37.50	
" 28	Vancouver Chinese Property, Acc. Mortgage		200.00
" 31	Hungarian Church, Windsor	9,622.01	
	Balance		
		$15,021.77	$15,021.77
1939			
			$9,622.01
Jan. 31	Balance		3,043.24
	Income on Investments		1,404.99
	Estates		2.34
	Adjustment St. Lawrence Petroleum Investment	$ 6.56	
	Advertising—proportion	58.33	
	Writing Down Thorold Investment	146.69	
	Legal Expenses	13,861.00	
	Balance		
		$14,072.58	$14,072.58
	Balance at Credit		$13,861.00

FOREIGN MISSIONS—RESERVE FOR EQUIPMENT

1938			*31st January, 1939*
			$13,777.02
Jan. 31	Balance	$ 10.25	
Apr. 26	Interest to Bella Sutherland	1,000.00	
May 12	Bhil Field—Property Repairs	500.00	
	Hostel at Barwani	5.64	
	Bank Charges on Above		10.25
June 30	Cancellation of Charge	35.03	
July 1	Interest to Bella Sutherland	100.00	
Nov. 12	Kobe—Repairs to Property		116.66
" 19	Received from W.M.S. (W.D.), for Manchuria	350.00	
Dec. 14	Manchuria—Repairs to Property	28.00	
1939			
Jan. 3	Interest to Bella Sutherland	200.00	
" 10	Account Expenses, Post Madras Conference	11,675.01	
	Balance		
		$13,903.93	$13,903.93
1939			
			$11,675.01
Jan. 31	Balance	$ 1,980.00	
	Retiring Allowances	6.56	
	Advertising—proportion	146.69	
	Legal Expenses—proportion	58.33	
	Writing Down Thorold Investment		1,950.68
	Income on Investments		1,534.13
	Estates		2.34
	Adjustment St. Lawrence Petroleum Investment	12,970.58	
	Balance		
		$15,162.16	$15,162.16
			$12,970.58
Jan. 31	Balance at Credit		

STATEMENT OF BEQUESTS RECEIVED IN CASH OR SECURITIES FROM FEBRUARY 1ST, 1938, TO JANUARY 31ST, 1939

Estates	*Designation*	*Amounts*
Gordon McIntosh	Missions	$ 413.33
Christine MacLean	General Missions	2,050.47
Margaret McFarlane	Foreign Missions	206.00
Isabel M. Archibald	Home Missions	526.26
Robert Hewitt	" "	498.23
David Crawford	Missions	359.17
Mary Jane Beatty	"	123.26
Farquhar McCrimmon	Foreign Missions	183.00
Annie Miller	Home and Foreign Missions	203.33
John Connell	" " " "	194.37
Robert Calder	Foreign Missions	901.92
Mary Geddes	Missions	101.00
Jane Bruce	Home and Foreign Missions	505.83
W. H. Williams	" " " "	151.80
John McBurney	Foreign Missions	503.33
Jane Isaac	" "	175.25
Marie Tomlinson	Home and Foreign Missions	75.00
Martha S. Walker	Budget	1,085.00
John T. McKinlay	"	500.00
John M. Sloan	"	1,006.53
Jessie H. Allan	"	1,200.00
John McBurney	"	500.00
George Lamb	"	65.00
Lachlan MacLean	"	68.16
		$11,596.24

PENSION FUND

Isabel M. Archibald	$ 500.00
John Rutherford	225.00
Daniel Waters	5,000.00
Col. J. R. Moodie	1,000.00
	$6,725.00

KNOX COLLEGE

Rev. Dr. G. M. Milligan	$750.00

SUMMARY

General Funds	$11,596.24
Pension Fund	6,725.00
Knox College	750.00
Total	$19,071.24

E. W. McNEILL,
Treasurer.

The staff in the Treasurer's office, in addition to keeping eleven (11) different double-entry sets of books, keeps the records for all securities (bonds, debentures, stocks, shares and mortgages), the property of the Church, Pension Fund, Knox College and other departments, all amounting to $1,420,546.86 (see page 196), and cuts off the interest coupons monthly (in this being assisted by Dr. MacNamara), depositing same in the various bank accounts.

The Treasurer's office also receives and acknowledges all money from Congregations, Sunday Schools and Young People's Societies, and makes all payments from the Budget, Knox College, Pension Fund and other departments—amounting in the aggregate last year to a turnover of $1,890,271.83.

The above figures indicate briefly the volume of business transacted in the Treasury Department, and the great amount of detail involved in the careful handling of above trust funds.

STATISTICAL AND FINANCIAL REPORT

To the Venerable the General Assembly:

In submitting the Statistical and Financial returns from Presbyteries for 1938, together with the summaries by Synods and the general summary for the whole Church, attention is called to certain features as disclosed in the examination of the statistics, in the hope that they will receive careful attention and serious consideration during the coming year.

Comparative summaries are submitted in connection with the following important items:—

MEMBERSHIP

Received during the year on Profession of Faith, 5,811, an increase of 458. By Certificate, 4,280, an increase of 341. Total number of members received 10,091, an increase of 799. Removed by Certificate, 2,597, an increase of 20. By death or otherwise, 8,264, an increase of 1,153. Total removals reported, 10,861, an increase of 1,173 over the removals reported in the previous year.

The total Communicant Membership reported is 174,490, a decrease of 1,334, but according to the figures above reported showing the total number received and the total removals, the net decrease should have been 770. It should be noted with concern that this is the third year in succession in which we are called upon to report a decrease in the Communicant Membership of the Church. Four Synods report small increases, the Maritime Synod, Montreal and Ottawa, Manitoba and Saskatchewan, the Maritime Synod reporting the largest increase 599. Four Synods report decreases, Toronto and Kingston leading with a decrease of 1,123, Hamilton and London 554, Alberta 428, British Columbia 81.

FAMILIES

The total number of families reported is 88,189 an increase of 290. The Synods of the Maritime Provinces, Hamilton and London, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta each report slight increases. Montreal and Ottawa, Toronto and Kingston and British Columbia report slight decreases.

ELDERS

The total number of Elders reported is 6,320, an increase of 160.

MINISTERS

Seven hundred and forty-six, an increase of 6. Sixteen ministers have been called away by death since last General Assembly.

BAPTISMS

Infants, 5,114, an increase of 242; adults, 657, an increase of 15.

CONGREGATIONS

Self-sustaining, 375, a decrease of 5. Augmented Charges, 164, a decrease of 9. Mission Fields, 226, an increase of 12. Number of Preaching Stations, 1,310, a decrease of 3.

FINANCES

All the Synods, with the exception of the Synod of the Maritime Provinces and Manitoba report a decrease in the amount paid by congregations for stipend. Four Synods, the Maritime Synod, Montreal and Ottawa, Alberta and British Columbia report slight increases in the amount raised for all congregational purposes. The

Synods of Toronto and Kingston, Hamilton and London, Manitoba and Saskatchewan report decreases.

For other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes, indicating funds raised by congregations for work outside the work supported by the Budget, or by the W.M.S. there is reported a decrease of $4,687.00. The Synods of the Maritime Provinces, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta report increases in this column. In view of the large amount of Home Mission work carried on by the Church in these Synods, this information calls for consideration. All the other Synods report decreases. Nevertheless the large sum of $86,878.00 is reported as raised for work outside our Church. The amount raised for all purposes shows a small decrease of $3,019. The Maritime Synod, Montreal and Ottawa, Saskatchewan and Alberta report increases, all the other Synods report decreases.

The Budget

A comparative statement of the Budget Receipts from congregations by Presbyteries and Synods, with the percentage of the allocation raised will be found attached to the report of the Budget and Stewardship Committee on page 154. It will be seen from that summary that the Presbyteries of Ottawa and Algoma exceeded their allocations, Montreal came next with 82.48 per cent, Edmonton 81.65, Cape Breton and Newfoundland 80.52, Superior 79.53, Westminster 76.43, Sarnia 74.84.

The following Presbyteries fell below 50 per cent of their allocations:—Miramichi, Prince Edward Island, Brockville, Peterborough, Lindsay, Orangeville, Barrie, Saugeen, Stratford, Bruce, Brandon, Peace River, Red Deer, Kootenay. None of the Synods raised their allocation, the highest being Montreal and Ottawa 77.48 per cent, the lowest Hamilton and London 55.38 per cent.

SUMMARY OF FINANCES

Amount paid by Congregations for "Stipend"		$1,024,472.00
Decrease from 1937	$11,485.00	
Amount raised for all Congregational Purposes		2,443,316.00
Decrease from 1937	$24,046.00	
Amount raised for other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes		86,878.00
Decrease from 1937	$4,687.00	
Amount raised for all Purposes		3,022,222.00
Decrease from 1937	$3,019.00	

REPORT BY SYNODS OF MORTGAGE INDEBTEDNESS

Synod		*Amount*
The Maritime Provinces		$ 302,864.00
A decrease of	$ 2,580.00	
Montreal and Ottawa		515,449.00
A decrease of	$22,726.00	
Toronto and Kingston		938,946.00
A decrease of	$11,322.00	
Hamilton and London		405,862.00
A decrease of	$18,957.00	
Manitoba		156,159.00
A decrease of	$10,622.00	
Saskatchewan		85,580.00
An increase of	$114.00	
Alberta		103,230.00
An increase of	$7,842.00	
British Columbia		100,415.00
A decrease of	$2,203.00	
Vindhiya and Satpura Mt. Bhil Presbytery		265.00
A decrease of	$151.00	
Total amount reported		2,608,770.00
A decrease of	$60,605.00	

STATISTICAL SUMMARY BY SYNODS

Synods	*No. of Ministers*	*No. of Elders*	*Families*	*Communicants Received*		*Communicants Removed*		*Communicants on Roll*
				By Profession	*By Certificate*	*By Certificate*	*By Death or Otherwise*	
Maritime Provinces	91	791	11,190	832	236	156	534	19,933
Montreal and Ottawa	114	943	14,592	955	709	384	1,095	28,475
Toronto and Kingston	229	2,023	26,421	1,781	1,699	989	3,038	57,116
Hamilton and London	163	1,631	22,523	1,284	1,082	695	2,133	46,469
Manitoba	26	224	3,066	259	128	69	186	5,932
Saskatchewan	25	182	2,969	249	60	126	272	4,868
Alberta	30	254	3,677	212	115	63	523	5,594
British Columbia	59	252	3,506	230	235	92	432	5,767
Presbytery of Vindhiya and Satpura Mt. Bhil	9	20	245	9	16	23	51	336
Totals	746	6,320	88,189	5,811	4,280	2,597	8,264	174,490

STATISTICAL SUMMARY BY SYNODS

Synods	*Self-sustaining Charges*	*Congregations in them*	*Augmented Charges*	*Congregations in them*	*Mission Fields*	*Preaching Stns. in them*	*Total Congs. & Preaching Stations*
Maritime Provinces	44	70	48	117	25	53	240
Montreal and Ottawa	59	83	26	46	29	46	175
Toronto and Kingston	125	193	25	49	42	66	308
Hamilton and London	112	175	25	44	14	24	243
Manitoba	9	10	11	16	26	34	60
Saskatchewan	6	8	9	16	24	67	91
Alberta	7	7	11	17	34	85	109
British Columbia	13	14	9	10	23	34	58
Presbytery of Vindhiya and Satpura Mt. Bhil	...	...	..	..	9	26	26
Totals	375	560	164	315	226	435	1,310

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. W. MacNAMARA,
Clerk of Assembly.

STATISTICAL AND

SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
No.				
1 Baddeck	A. W. R. MacKenzie	Baddeck, N.S.	W. D. MacLeod	Baddeck, N.S.
2 Boularderie, Knox	Vacant		M. D. MacDonald	Boularderie, N.S.
St. James			William J. MacLennan	Big Intervale, Cape North, N.S.
3 Cape North	Supply			
Ingonish				
Neil's Harbour	Charles S. Miller, M.A., B.D.	16 Catherine St., Glace Bay, N.S.	Duncan MacRae	15 Yorke St., Glace Bay, N.S.
4 Glace Bay			J. W. Mitchell	18 Mill Rd., Grand Falls, Nfld.
5 Grand Falls, Nfld.	Herbert J. Scott	Grand Falls, Nfld.	John A. Ferguson	Ferguson's Lake, N.S.
6 Grand River	Donald MacMillan	Grand River, N.S.	John D. Morrison	Lower St. Esprit, N.S.
Framboise				
Loch Lomond	John F. Nute, B.A.	Trout River, N.S.	N. J. MacPhail	Scotsville, N.S.
7 Lake Ainslie			Neil D. MacInnis	Glenville, N.S.
Strathlorne	Archibald D. MacKinnon, B.A.	Little Narrows, N.S.	Angus N. MacIver	Hazeldale, N.S.
8 Little Narrows			Neil Robertson	Soapstone Mine, N.S.
Whycocomagh	Joseph Cathcart	Louisburg, N.S.	D. G. Cameron	Louisburg, N.S.
9 Louisburg	W. S. Sutherland, B.A.	Marion Bridge, N.S.	D. P. Morrison	Marion Bridge, N.S.
10 Marion Bridge	Supplied from Baddeck		D. A. MacDermid	Middle River, N.S.
11 Middle River	Howard A. Doig	Albert Bridge, N.S.	D. A. MacDonald	Albert Bridge, N.S.
12 Mira Ferry			Donald MacVicar	Catalone Gut, N.S.
Catalone	D. J. Gillies	Indian Brook, N.S.	Malcolm MacDonald	Tarbot, N.S.
13 North River				
French River				
Indian Brook			Neil MacLean	North Sydney, N.S.
14 North Sydney	J. W. Smith	Box 645, North Sydney, N.S.	Andrew Williamson	Orangedale, N.S.
15 Orangedale	A. H. Sproule	Orangedale, N.S.	Murdoch MacKay	Big Harbour Island, N.S.
Malagawatch				
River Denys			John K. MacLennan	Victoria Line, N.S.
16 South Gut	Supply		Neil D. Carmichael	Port Bevis, N.S.
Englishtown				
St. John's, Nfld.:—				
17 St. Andrew's	James McNeill	Queen's Road	R. A. Templeton	337 Water St.
18 Queen's Road	Wilfred F. Butcher, B.A.	Balsam Place	C. C. Duley	51 Rennies Mill Rd.
Sydney:—				
19 The Presbyterian Church	M. Maxwell MacOdrum, M.A., Ph.D.	Box 307, Sydney	Ronald McVicar, LL.B.	Box 460, Sydney
20 Westminster	Alexander A. Murray, D.D.	223 Esplanade	Dan Morrison	69 Douglas St.
21 Sydney Mines	Quincy A. McDowell, M.A., B.Th.	Queen St., Sydney Mines.	Edmund MacDonald	Clyde Ave., Sydney Mines.
Mission Fields				
1 Birch Grove	Supply		John A. Ferguson	Broughton, N.S.
Broughton				
†Caledonia Mines				
Appendix to Roll				
1 Foreign Missionary	Malcolm MacKay, B.A.	Nagoya, Japan		
2	Duncan McColl	Carnoch, Glencoe, Scotland		
3	Karam Guergis	869 Cosburn Ave., Toronto, Ont.		
	Lauchlin Beaton	Markham, Ont.		

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	17
In S.S. Charges	10	Total on Roll	4
In Augmented Charges	7	Ministers on Appendix	21
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	

†Reported by Treasurer.

Little Narrows, N.S., May 4, 1939.

FINANCIAL RETURNS

1. PRESBYTERY OF CAPE BRETON AND NEWFOUNDLAND

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
2	10	103	5	3	14	72	18			5	174	M	1800	1000	2744	50	24	63	2881	50.29	1
3	14	145	16		11	63	8			10	195	M	2000		2676	284	231	329	3520	61.20	2
																				217.20	
3	3	32	1		5	20				3	31	M	263	223	391	50		39	480	34.95	3
																				17.40	
																				1200.05	4
1	12	320	22		31	275	5	5	1	16	406		2800		7870	1200	76	689	9835		
																				92.41	5
1	3	26	3		4	27	3				70	M	1000		2036	92			2128		
																				137.13	6
3	7	60							2	2	59	M	236		759	65			824	7.00	
	5	50	9								47		178		552	7			559		
2	6	43	7		4	13	4	1	3	1	74	M	644		847	110		40	997	110.00	7
	4	18			4	16		1			37		188	54	250	25			275	25.00	
2	6	123	3		14	73	3			4	118	M	1000		1343	150	356	163	2012	150.50	8
2	2	54	1		2	29	6	1		5	86		800		962	75	10	77	1124	75.00	
	3	35	6	2			2				36	R H	1200		1450	30		12	1492	30.00	9
1	7	54	3		5	58		4		2	81	M	1200		1490	105		60	1655	105.00	10
1	7	85	1						1	2	104	M	861		1021	24		68	1113	73.97	11
2	8	28	4		3	14				4	73	M	650	100	1053	78		58	1189	84.00	12
	4	27			4	28					26		650		969	36		38	1043	36.00	
3	13	142	32	7	17	120	11	2		4	177	M	1800		2000	70	50	50	2170	72.96	13
																				200.15	14
1	5	52	24	4	14	166	22	4	2	2	193	M	1260		3102	200	7	178	3487		
											27	M	475	900	814	40		106	960	40.00	15
3	3	28			1	8					21		185		257	20		11	288	17.50	
	1	18	7		1	6	9	1		2											
																		29	669	40.00	
	3	38	2		4	19				3	54		540	270	600	40		38	425	18.55	16
2	4	24			2	12				1	27	M	166		370	17		40	238	5.00	
	1	16			4	23					22		125		188	10					
																				1700.00	17
																					18
1	12	265	30		33	398	12	4		3	475	M	3500	15116	10907	1855	775	530	14067		
																				5365	
1	6	92	2		14	130				5	120	R H	1800	10000	5365						
																				1260.00	19
1	22	465	55		32	378	22	11	1	6	577		3100	47325	12893	1260	355	194	14702		
																				100.00	20
1	12	120	13		8	113	18		13	6	206	R H	2500	4000	7072	150	40	35	7297		21
1	12	250	38		29	342	11	3		8	476	M	2000	492	4911	846		227	5984	863.91	
																				15.00	1
2	3	25			5	30				1	32		195		318	15	44	77	454		
																				5.00	
																					1
													*1714								2
																					3
																					4
38	198	2738	284	16	265	2433	154	37	23	95	4024	19	33116	79480	75210	6904	1968	3151	87233	6845.17	
37	202	2637	253	17	205	1908	155	219	16	97	3873	18	31171	71839	77553	5694	2344	2944	88535	6234.23	
1		101	31	1	60	525			7	2	151	1	1945	7641		1210		207		610.94	
	4							1	182						2343		376		1302		

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	11	Number of Mission Fields	1
" Congregations in them	19	" Preaching Stations in them	2
" Augmented Charges	10	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	22
" Congregations in them	17	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	38

*Salary paid by Board of Missions.

A. D. MacKINNON, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Barney's River	D. A. MacKinnon	Barney's River, N.S.	Charles Bannerman	Barney's River, N.S.
	Avondale				
	Laggan				
	Marshy Hope				
	Riverside			A. Robert Ross	R.R. 1, McPhersons Mills, N.S.
2	Blue Mountain	Vacant			
	Garden of Eden			D. McDonald	Sunny Brae, N.S.
3	East River	A. Brown, M.A., B.D. (O.M.)	Sunny Brae, N.S.		
	Bridgeville				
	Springville				
	St. Paul's				
	Sunny Brae			Chester Gunn	East River, St. Mary's, N.S.
4	East River, St. Mary's	Frank A. Lawrence, B.A., Th.B.	East River, St. Mary's, N.S.	G. B. Cruikshank	Caledonia, Guysboro Co., N.S.
	Caledonia			John Hattie	South Lochaber, Guysboro Co., N.S.
	Glenelg			Dan Fraser	Lower Caledonia, N.S.
	Lower Caledonia		R.R.1, Lansdowne, N.S	Daniel M. McLeod	R.R.1, Lansdowne, N.S
5	Gairlock	F. Clarke Evans, B.A.		Ernest Fraser	R.R.1, Lansdowne, N.S
	Middle River			Wm. Tupper	West River Sta., N.S.
	West River Station			John M. Dunbar	Hopewell, N.S.
6	Hopewell	H. Wilson Sieber, B.O., B.A.	(Deceased)	Clifford Fraser	Eureka, N.S.
	Eureka			Robert McKenzie	R.R. 1, Trenton, N.S.
7	Little Harbor	H. L. Jost, B.Th.	R.R. 1, New Glasgow, N.S.		
	Pictou Landing			Laurie Ferguson	Pictou Landing, N.S.
8	Merigomish	F. G. MacDonald	Merigomish, N.S.	D. H. Cameron	Merigomish, N.S.
	French River			Renwick Forbes	Merigomish, N.S.
	New Glasgow:—				
9	First	Norman D. Kennedy, M.A., M.C.	214 Washington St	Geo. L. Tattrie	507 Pleasant St
10	St. Andrew's	William Ooms, B.A., B.Th.	139 Almont Ave	J. Albert Ross	269 George St
11	Westminster	Hugh Munroe, B.A., D.D.	114 Temperance St	Robert C. Grant	Room 502, Maritime Bldg.
12	Oxford and Riverview	E. G. B. Foote, B.A.	Box 106, Oxford, N.S.	D. J. Mitchell	West Pugwash, N.S.
	Pugwash and Gulf Shore				
	Pictou:—				
13	First	Donald A. Campbell, B.A.	Pictou, N.S.	Andrew Fraser	Pictou, N.S.
14	St. Andrew's	S. Buchanan Carey, M.A.	Pictou, N.S.	Peter Fraser	Pictou, N.S.
15	River John	T. G. M. Bryan, B.A. (O.M.)	River John, N.S.	E. R. Langille	R.R. 1, River John, N.S
	Brule				
	Middleton			Charles McKinnon	R.R. 4, River John, N.S
	Toney River				
16	Scotsburn	W. Lloyd MacLellan, B.A., B.D.	Scotsburn, N.S.	A. H. McKay	Scotsburn, N.S.
	West Branch			Alexander Murray	Meadowville, N.S.
17	Sherbrooke	J. W. Britton (O.M.)	Sherbrooke, N.S.	D. W. Fraser	Stillwater, Guysboro Co., N.S.
	Goldenville				
	Stillwater				
18	Stellarton	S. J. Macarthur, M.A., B.D.	Stellarton, N.S.	Elston C. Dunbar	Stellarton, N.S.
19	Tatamagouche	Vacant		Alex. Fraser	Tatamagouche, N.S.
	Earltown			John A. Baillie	East Earltown, N.S.
	The Falls				
	Waugh's River				
20	Thorburn	Alexander Mills, B.A.	Thorburn, N.S.	Robert Bennett	Thorburn, N.S.
	Sutherland's River				
21	Wallace	Charles Henry Foote, B.A.	Wallace, N.S.	Rev. C. H. Foote	Wallace, N.S.
	Stake Road				
22	West River	Charles H. Maclean, B.A.	Durham, N.S.	A. C. Graham	R.R. 3, Scotsburn, N.S
	Green Hill				
	Saltsprings			Gordon A. Proudfoot	Saltsprings, N.S.
23	Westville	George S. Mitchell, B.D.	Westville, N.S.	W. D. Morris	Westville, N.S.

2. PRESBYTERY OF PICTOU

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No.	No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Certificate Removed from Roll	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938 $ c	Number
1	5	10	80	11		8	65	19	3		5	4	162	M	1200		1646	135	45	85	1911	144.21	1
2	2	6	70			2	40	4	1			4	165	M	1200		1230	142		73	1445	142.45	2
																						10.85	
																							3
	4							15					48		120		120	9	20	15	164	13.25	
		2	19									3	43		320		342	69		64	475	66.46	
		1	15			5	35				2		39		180		275	10		51	336	10.00	
		2	10			2 2	15	6				2	64	M	366		455	24	107	69	655	30.60	
		2	33	4		3 2	25	2				7	62	M	500		627	147	80	72	926	162.00	4
	4	4	30	3		5	50	5	1			3	43		250		250	58		14	322	57.50	
		4	17	4								1	50		400		417	104		20	541	103.50	
		3	23	2		3	20	4				4	43		150		150	27			177	27.00	
		4	22	2								1	105	M	820		962	31		182	1175	30.57	5
	3	5	45	7		4	20	6		4	1		61	M	380		457	50		70	577		
		2	20					6	2				68		298		380	7		25	412	6.04	
		2	16	1				3					211	M	1100		1309	74	11	158	1552	90.00	6
	2	6	60	3	1	16	86	4				4	88		500		632	40	2	95	769	40.77	
		3	47	4		8	52						84	M	800		1082	43	50	94	1269	50.00	7
	2	4	65	5						1	3												
													55		314		339			52	391	1.25	
		1	36			6	49		1				233	M	1250		2000	220	120	130	2470	217.00	8
	2	7	83	7		8	132	2	1	2	5		65		150		250	30	25	35	340	35.00	
		3	26	3		5	32	3			1												
	1	12	200	8		11	102	23	6	6	7		504	M	2500	17400	5371	441	87	386	6285	440.75	9
	1	12	200	8		11	102	23	6	9	9		454	M	2000	5000	5658	793	364	369	7184	804.54	10
	1	16	265	9	6	18	160	22	14	9	9		454	M	2000	5000	5658	793	364	369	7184	804.54	10
	1	16	265	9	6	18	160	22	14	9	9		454	M	2000	5000	5658	793	364	369	7184	804.54	10
	1	12	198	2		7	87	9	4	5	7		407	M	3000	3000	5997	1680	472	943	9092	1715.00	11
	4	3	48	5	5	12	65	5	4				62	R H	600		889	60		75	1024	73.37	12
		3	53	13	3	4	33	5					57		492		693	60		51	804	60.00	
	1	5	111	5		10	75	6		1	67		220	R H	1800		3258	542	165	470	4435	547.92	13
	1	5	111	5		10	75	6		1	67		265	M	2000	1181	4595	194	205	145	5139	222.70	14
	1	9	215	7		18	91						174	M	415		722	162		116	1000	161.62	15
	4	7	141	2		7	37		1	5	13												
																				57	307	61.10	
													79		189		189	61		290	2679	271.81	16
		4	55	10		9	57		31			7	148	M	1400		2116	273		60	754	65.49	
	2	8	106	9				7				3	43		400		628	52	14	74	1587	64.89	17
		2	60	6		5	35		1			2	187	M	1200		1435	60	18				
	3	2	35	5	2	5	25	4														1.11	
			16																				
		1	14			3	35					2	473		2000	4835	6009	321	107	158	6595	361.40	18
	1	15	215	5	3	14	275	10	7		3	1	113		554		1002	143	145	111	1401	142.52	19
	4	6	58	1		7	41					1	40		47		85			11	96		
		6	28	1								3	40		75		105		5	9	119		
		2	30																				
																	3223	93	515	197	4028	88.68	20
	2	6	120	42	4	9	182	66	10	3	6		369	M	1400								
													102		1200		1412	60	94	37	1603	66.90	21
	2	6	78	12	6	8	58	8	1														
												1	150	M	600		921	102	79	120	1222	164.00	22
	3	2	62	1	1	4	27	2	2				73		500		649	64	16	122	851		
		5	23			3	28					1	69		500		590	85		104	779	79.50	
		4	60	1				3		1	2	6	382	M	1800	500	3725	300		370	4395	300.30	23
	1	10	200			15	274	13	7	2	6												

SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Mission Fields				
1	Abercrombie			*Clyde Rivers	Abercrombie
	Granton			*Wm. Grant	Three Brooks, Pictou, N.S.
2	Cariboo River				
	Sundridge				
	Waterside				
	Cariboo Island			James D. Stewart	R.R. 1, North Lochaber, Antigonish Co.
3	Lochaber			John Webster	R.R.1, Kirkmount, N.S
4	McLellan's Mountain				
	McLellan's Brook			Thomas E. Powell	Moser River
5	Moser River				
	Harrigan Cove			*Blair Hutchison	Mulgrave
6	Mulgrave			*Rev. S. Buchanan Carey, M.A.	Pictou, N.S.
7	Pictou Island				
	Others on Roll				
1		W. McCulloch Thomson, M.A., B.D., D.D.	Durham, N.S.		
	Appendix to Roll				
1	Foreign Missionary	L. L. Young, B.A., D.D.	Kobe, Japan		
2		Cecil H. Kennedy, B.A., B.D.	Stellarton, N.S.		
					Grand Total, 1938
					Grand Total, 1937
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	10	Total on Roll	22
In Augmented Charges	11	Ministers on Appendix	2
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	24

New Glasgow, N.S., April 8, 1939.

*Not Clerk of Session.

SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

1	Bermuda, St. Andrew's, Hamilton.	Victor E. Ford, LL.B.	Box 192, Hamilton, Bermuda.	R. V. Murdoch	Hamilton, Bermuda
2	Elmsdale	R. S. Quigley	Maitland, N.S.	A. F. MacLean	Elmsdale, N.S.
	Nine Mile River				
3	Great Village	Student Supply		Dr. T. Johnson	Great Village, N.S.
	Portaupique				
	Halifax:—				
4	Knox	F. R. Meredith	332 Gottingen St.	Thos. K. MacLellan	174½ Agricola St.
5	St. David's	Colin M. Kerr, B.D., B.Sc., Ph.D.	71 Seymour St.	Wm. J. Kane	8 Walnut St

2. PRESBYTERY OF PICTOU—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
													132		137				137		1
2		32	2	1	5	50							27		29				29		
		10			1	3									275				275		2
4	1	25			1	9						8	275								
		18			3	20															
		14																			3
		10										17	10		330			5	335		
1	1	7			1	10															4
2	6	25	6					2	3	2	42		205		257	26		21	304	26.10	
		11						3			25		143		161	10	34	50	255		5
		20	4				10			1	45		18	400	142	4		49	195	4.75	
2	2	2								5	3		8		8				8		6
		11									23		190		190				190		
1		38			6	40	6			3	39		280		280				280		7
1																					
																					1
																					1
																					2
68	227	3331	212	32	261	2440	278	101	53	191	6301	21	36258	32316	64004	6806	2780	5704	79294	6962.90	
64	231	3236	163	18	270	2380	132	51	41	216	6166	26	37146	33731	62324	6861	2389	5560	77134	7073.84	
4		95	49	14		60	146	50	12		135				1680		391	144	2160		
	4				9					25		5	888	1415		55				110.94	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	10	Number of Mission Fields	7
" Congregations in them	14	" Preaching Stations in them	13
" Augmented Charges	13	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	30
" Congregations in them	41	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	68

NORMAN D. KENNEDY, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

3. PRESBYTERY OF HALIFAX AND LUNENBURG

									3	8	142	M	2140	1000	5223	558	368	86	6235	674.23	1
1	5	72		2	13	100	5				109	M	1000		1093	144	15	139	1391	144.00	2
2	4	43	1		5	35	1	2	1	1											
											74		224		324				324		3
2	2	38	1																		

SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
No.				
6 Lunenburg, St. Andrew's	Alexander Allen	Lunenburg, N.S.	John MacLachlan	Lunenburg, N.S.
7 Mahone Bay	Student Supply		C. G. Lants	Mahone Bay, N.S.
8 Musquodoboit Harbour	Henry S. Graham	Musquodoboit Harbour, N.S.	‡Adam D. Dean	R.R. 1, Upper Musquodoboit, N.S.
Dean	D. W. McDonald, B.A.	Dublin Shore, N.S.	‡John Adams	Dublin Shore, N.S.
9 New Dublin				
Conquerall	W. A. Cunningham, B.A., B.D.	Rose Bay, N.S.	‡Henry Creaser	Rose Bay, N.S.
10 Rose Bay				
East Middle La Have	Murray Y. Fraser, B.A.	Springhill, N.S.	Simon D. McDonald	Springhill, N.S.
11 Springhill, St. David's	Geo. M. Dix, M.A., B.D.	114 Queen St., Truro, N.S.	James Scott	Charles St., Truro, N.S.
12 Truro, St. James'				
13 Windsor, St. John's	D. G. Ross	Windsor, N.S.	John D. Currie	Windsor, N.S.
Mission Fields				
1 Economy				
Lower Economy	Student Supply		Munroe Anthony	Kennetcook, Hants Co., N.S.
2 Kennetcook				
Noel Road				
East Noel	Student Supply		James Leslie	Diligent River, N.S.
3 Parrsboro				
Diligent River				
†Strathcona				
†Presbytery of Halifax and Lunenburg				
Appendix to Roll				
1 Retired Foreign Missionary	J. B. Cropper, D.D.	c/o The Presbyterian Church in Canada, 100 Adelaide St. W., Toronto, Ont.		
				Grand Total, 1938
				Grand Total, 1937
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	..
In S.S. Charges	5	Total on Roll	11
In Augmented Charges	6	Ministers on Appendix	1
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	12

Musquodoboit Harbour, N.S., March 31, 1939.

†Reported by Treasurer. ‡Representative Elder.

3. PRESBYTERY OF HALIFAX AND LUNENBURG—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	7	230	10	1	20	190	14	3	1	5	443	M	1800	350	4548	360	25	200	5133	365.35	6
1	3	25	1	..	4	20	....	....	....	....	67	M	254	1000	762	15	.....	24	801	15.00	7
2	2	31	1	..	3	29	2	....	1	1	74	R H	600	961	655	90	.....	102	847	90.00	8
..	3	45	6	..	6	55	1	....	2	2	152	....	400	.....	489	66	90	76	721	62.97	
4	10	100	10	..	10	51	4	....	....	11	137	M	1000	.....	1720	136	12	107	1975	136.00	9
2	7	117	11	..	15	128	9	....	1	7	157	M	1800	848	3585	47	.....	112	3744	40.40	10
..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	5.00	
1	4	125	16	..	9	100	18	2	....	....	86	M	1200	7832	3595	200	122	55	3973	209.55	11
1	3	136	4	3	11	98	3	5	3	2	292	M	2000	3280	4009	240	.....	120	4369	240.63	12
1	5	65	2	1	10	82	1	3	1	2	125	....	1500	4000	1934	183	341	94	2553	176.71	13
..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1
2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	50.00	2
*3	6	78	9	..	4	79	....	....	....	....	86	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	3
2	2	16	....	2	4	36	3	....	....	....	44	....	104	.....	114	25	2	.....	149	25.00	
..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1.00	
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..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
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..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
27	79	1181	79	14	136	1197	100	32	22	54	2580	11	19322	60571	41419	3531	2282	1666	49018	3697.96	
26	75	1359	53	10	153	1287	58	30	6	82	2412	11	19106	66632	40407	3531	1351	1672	47232	3746.85	
1	4	.....	26	4	.....	.....	42	2	16	.....	168	.....	216	.....	1012	.....	931	.....	1786	.....	
.....	.....	178	.....	.....	17	90	.....	.....	.....	28	.....	.....	.....	6061	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	48.89	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	5	Number of Mission Fields	3
" Congregations in them	6	" Preaching Stations in them	7
" Augmented Charges	8	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	16
" Congregations in them	14	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	27

*Last year's figures.

HENRY S. GRAHAM, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
No.				
1 Fredericton, St. Andrew's			W. M. Clark	470 Charlotte St., Fredericton.
2 Harvey Station, Knox	Allison MacLean (O.M.)	Harvey Station, N.B.	Harvey Craig	Harvey Station, N.B.
Acton				
3 Moncton	V. E. Orsborn	115 John St., Moncton	E. Clark	85 Park St., Moncton
4 Port Elgin			H. C. Grant	Port Elgin
5 Sackville				
Dorchester				
6 St. Andrews-by-the-Sea, Greenock.	Samuel Davies	St. Andrews-by-the-Sea.	W. J. Halliday	St. Andrews-by-the-Sea.
Saint John City:—				
7 St. Columba, Fairville	F. G. Purnell	Fairville, N.B.	Allison S. Moon	Fairville, N.B.
Westfield				
Nerepis				
8 St. John and St. Stephen	Charles J. St.Clair Jeans	65 Parks St.	William D. MacKay	100 Spring St.
9 St. Matthew's	J. A. Morison,M.A.,Ph.D.,D.D	35 Havelock St.	A. W. Fraser	173 Broad St.
10 Stanley	James Middleton	Stanley, N.B.	John Boulton	Stanley, N.B.
Williamsburg			James Gullison	Williamsburg, N.B.
Tay Falls				
11 St. Stephen	Robert A. MacLean	St. Stephen, N.B.	P. R. Pringle	St. Stephen, N.B.
12 Woodstock, St. Paul	J. W. Paul	Woodstock, N.B.	J. T. Montgomery	Woodstock, N.B.
Mission Fields				
			E. S. MacKay	St. George, N.B.
1 St. George				
Bocabec				
Pennfield			Hugh Graham	Kirkland
2 Kirkland				
3 New Maryland				
Hanwell				
4 Prince William				
Lower Southampton			*F. S. Inglis	Shediac
5 Shediac			*Miss Margaret Carter	Buctouche
Buctouche				
Mill Creek				
MacDougall's			C. B. Spear	Sussex
6 Sussex, Chalmers				
Hampton				
Hammond River				
7 Titusville			Richard Hosford	Barnesville
Barnesville				
Salt Springs				
Upperton				
8 Debec				
Oak Mountain				
Others on Roll				
1	Frank Baird, M.A., D.D.	Chipman, N.B.		
Appendix to Roll				
1	J. G. A. Colquhoun, B.A.	Moncton, N.B.		
2	W. L. Newton, B.A., B.D.	36 Highview Crescent, Toronto, Ont.		
3	G. E. Knight	100 Main St., Saint John, N.B.		
4	Alexander Craise, D.D.	Sackville, N.B.		
5	A. D. Hamilton, B.A., B.D.	63 Emmerson Ave., Toronto, Ont.		
6	G. Lloyd Fulford, B.A.	3435 Shuter St., Montreal, Que.		
				Grand Total, 1938
				Grand Total, 1937
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	4	Total on Roll	10
In Augmented Charges	2	Ministers on Appendix	6
In Ordained Mission Fields	3	Grand Total of Ministers	16

*Not Elders.

St. Andrews-by-the-Sea, N.B., May 4, 1939.

4. PRESBYTERY OF SAINT JOHN

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise Removed from Roll	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	7	140	5	..	14	96	5	....	....	2	230	....	2500	38500	6200	200	60	105	6500	103.15	1
2	6	75	4	..	6	52	2	....	....	2	204	M	1200	.....	1900	45	.....	70	2020	6.90	2
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	..	..	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
1	5	100	1	..	9	60	3	11	6	2	122	....	1800	8150	3283	60	.....	81	3424	65.00	3
1	5	102	4	..	8	64	....	....	....	....	136	M	1000	900	1230	70	.....	40	1350	45.77	4
1	5	102	4	..	8	64	....	....	....	....	136	M	1000	900	1230	70	.....	40	1350	45.77	4
2	3	75	8	..	7	60	....	....	....	....	38	....	312	.....	504	35	.....	30	570	33.00	5
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	..	..	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2	3	75	8	..	7	60	....	....	....	....	38	....	260	.....	285	20	.....	.....	320	17.10	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	..	..	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
..	3	17	1	..	..	..	....	....	....	....	26	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	125	2900	182.20	6
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	..	..	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
1	3	60	1	..	8	65	3	....	....	2	104	M	1900	.....	2550	180	.....	.....	.....	.....	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	..	..	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	..	..	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	..	..	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
3	4	64	16	..	14	53	4	....	3	3	53	M	600	.....	1108	168	.....	50	1327	181.80	7
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	..	..	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.70	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	..	..	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
No.				
1 Bass River	Vacant		George A. Hanson	Bass River, Kent Co., N.B.
West Branch				
Harcourt, St. Andrew's			Andrew Ferguson	Harcourt, N.B.
Beersville				
Cails Mills				
Clairville			William Murray	Richibucto, N.B.
Rexton				
Richibucto		East Bathurst, N.B.	A. N. Desbrisay	Bathurst, N.B.
2 Bathurst	R. J. Kirkland		Robert Miller	Sea Side, N.B.
Jacquet River			Alonzo Miller	Nash Creek, N.B.
New Mills		Campbellton, N.B.	W. F. Yorston	Campbellton, N.B.
3 Campbellton, Knox	Lambert Olgers, B.A.	Chatham, N.B.	William Johnson	Newcastle, N.B.
4 Chatham	M. E. Genge, D.D.		A. D. MacKinnon	Newcastle, N.B.
Newcastle		Dalhousie, N.B.	William MacNiel	Dalhousie, N.B.
5 Dalhousie, St. John's	C. E. Hayward, B.A.		G. R. Vanderbuk	Millerton, N.B.
6 Millerton	Vacant			
Derby				
McKinleyville		Boom Road, N.B.	D. A. Whitney	Curventon, N.B.
7 Sunny Corner	P. M. Sampson			
Sillikers				
Whitneyville				
Mission Fields				
			J. A. Watling	BlackRiverBridge,N.B
1 Black River				
Kouchibouguac			‡Dewey Smollett	New Carlisle, Que.
2 New Carlisle			James Loggie	Wishart's Point, N.B.
3 Tabusintac				
New Jersey				
Oak Point				
4 Warwick				
				Grand Total, 1938
				Grand Total, 1937
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 2
In Augmented Charges 2
In Ordained Mission Fields 1

Others on Roll .....
Total on Roll .....
Ministers on Appendix 5
Grand Total of Ministers .....

‡Treasurer of Church.

Campbellton, N.B., April 14, 1939.

SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

1 Alberton	Vacant	Belfast	Fred Clark	R.R., Alberton
2 Belfast	Wallace S. Wadland, B.A.	Brookfield	Thos. W. Morrison	Beaton's Mills
3 Brookfield	A. O. Thomson, B.A., D.D.		Charles MacDuff	Brookfield
Glasgow Road				
Hartsville				
Hunter River		Caledonia	Malcolm J. Stewart	Caledonia
4 Caledonia	A. S. McLean		Alex. M. Mackenzie	Long Creek
5 Canoe Cove	Vacant		Angus MacPhee	New Haven
Churchill			Dr. A. J. Murchison	Clyde River
Clyde River			Norman MacDonald	Nine Mile Creek
Nine Mile Creek				

5. PRESBYTERY OF MIRAMICHI

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	3	27	15	..	2	14	4	....	....	4	79	M	161	.....	261	3	.....	.....	264	.....	1
*	3	45	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	75		161	.....	261	.....	.....	.....	261	.....	
*	3	45	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	75		161	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	
..	2	11	....	..	2	20	....	....	....	1	33	....	161	.....	161	5	.....	10	176	.....	
..	2	17	10	..	2	20	....	....	....	1	9	....	65	.....	65	10	10	5	90	.....	
..	1	6	2	..	2	20	....	....	....	1	38	....	88	.....	167	5	.....	.....	172	5.00	
..	2	12	3	..	4	46	....	....	....	....	10	....	.....	.....	110	.....	.....	.....	110	.....	
..	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	6	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14.00	
..	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	24	....	650	.....	800	40	92	104	1036	50.00	2
3	4	18	....	....	3	14	3	....	....	....	25	....	225	.....	225	15	.....	42	282	.....	
..	4	26	....	....	4	16	....	....	....	....	44	M	500	.....	744	50	.....	53	847	30.50	
..	4	26	....	....	4	16	....	....	....	2	216	....	2100	20000	5405	289	.....	74	5768	288.58	3
1	8	86	12	1	10	126	11	1	....	....	123	M	800	1000	1150	45	.....	60	1255	62.76	4
2	3	86	3	..	10	60	7	2	....	....	55	....	800	270	1501	75	.....	99	1675	74.75	
..	2	44	21	1	5	46	2	....	....	....	149	M	1200	14300	1613	100	.....	67	1780	10.00	5
..	3	62	14	..	5	65	2	6	....	....	27	M	389	.....	410	.....	.....	6	416	.....	6
1	2	20	2	..	4	32	1	....	....	....	28	....	338	900	363	13	4	31	411	4.00	
3	2	16	2	..	6	37	....	....	....	....	33	....	185	.....	201	13	.....	12	226	15.00	
..	1	17	1	..	5	13	1	....	....	5	66	R H	355	3700	570	15	.....	25	610	10.00	7
3	4	46	....	..	9	....	1	....	....	....	21	....	136	.....	136	.....	.....	74	210	.....	
..	1	11	1	..	10	45	....	....	....	1	12	....	228	.....	228	10	.....	13	251	10.00	
..	1	11	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
..	....	....	....	....

SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Charlottetown:—	R. Moorhead-Legate, E.D., D.D.	239 Pownal St.	D. A. MacKinnon	3 Kent St.
6	St. James	G. Carlyle Webster	80 Euston St.	Donald McKinnon	Box 356
7	Zion			William MacDonald	Mermaid
	Mermaid, Calvin	W. Lyall Detlor, M.A.	New London	Angus Green	R.R., Emerald
8	Clifton (New London)				
	Geddie Memorial				
	Granville				
	Long River	W. O. Rhoad, B.A., Th.B.	Kensington	‡Thomas L. Ramsay	Kensington
9	Kensington			‡George Jardine	Freetown
	Freetown	Vacant		Colin Mountain	R.R., Princetown
10	Malpeque, Keir Memorial	John C. MacNeil, B.A., B.D.	Mount Stewart	Earl Foster	York
11	Marshfield			Earl McInnis	Winsloe
	Harrington			Stewart McKinnon	Highfield
	Highfield			Geddie Douglas	Mount Stewart
	Mount Stewart	T. Owen Hughes, B.A.	Montague	Russell MacLaren	New Perth
12	Montague			Archie McPherson	Cardigan
	Cardigan and Lorne Valley				
	Dundas	Vacant		Thomas A. Millar	R.R. 4, Montague
13	Murray Harbour North				
	Peter's Road	William Verwolf, B.A.	Summerside	Donald Baker	Summerside
14	Summerside	Vacant			
15	Tyne Valley			D. McLean	Tyne Valley
	Freeland				
	Lot 14				
	Victoria West	R. Hensley Stavert, M.A., B.D.	Wood Islands	D. M. McLeod	Wood Islands
16	Wood Islands			David Brooks	Abney
	Murray Harbour South				
	Mission Fields				
1	Tryon	Student		A. Waddell	Albany
	Bradalbane			**Marie Graham	Bradalbane
2	West Point	Student		J. J. England	R.R., O'Leary
	††Cambridge				
	Others on Roll				
1		J. Keir Fraser, B.A., B.D., D.D.	Charlottetown, P.E.I.		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		Fred. Williamson	21 Bowood Ave., Toronto, Ont.		

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	9	Total on Roll	12
In Augmented Charges	2	Ministers on Appendix	1
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	13

Grand Total, 1938 ....
Grand Total, 1937 ....
Increase ....
Decrease ....

KENSINGTON, P.E.I., MARCH 31, 1939. **Not an Elder. ‡Not Clerk of Session. ††Reported by Treasurer.

6. PRESBYTERY OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	10	139	10	..	12	115	20	5	21	7	293	M	2500	12400	7506	665	422	341	8934	549.37	6
2	15	235	30	5	34	356	38	10	6	4	672	M	2500	7750	7694	573	218	372	8857	757.88	7
..	1	16	2	..	3	32	..	..	..	..	46	..	..	..	265	4	..	..	269	4.00	
4	3	40	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	27	M	533	..	619	33	6	138	796	33.45	8
..	..	34	..	..	1	17	..	..	..	..	13	..	267	..	326	37	3	119	485	36.55	
..	2	23	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	..	268	..	322	12	35	45	414	47.22	
..	2	32	4	..	4	23	..	..	..	..	62	..	401	..	483	56	2	52	593	56.20	
2	3	64	12	..	7	84	..	..	1	4	126	M	1100	717	1958	61	25	137	2181	61.15	9
..	1	20	1	..	3	10	..	..	..	1	47	..	236	310	280	10	..	68	358	11.25	
..	4	60	..	..	4	34	..	..	..	3	97	..	342	..	502	31	..	28	561	31.00	10
..	3	22	4	..	..	..	..	5	..	1	48	M	500	..	906	1	..	45	952	..	11
*4	3	20	..	..	4	25	..	..	..	..	27	..	300	..	496	43	..	..	539	30.05	
*	4	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	15	..	200	..	240	..	..	25	265	..	
*	2	20	..	..	4	35	..	..	..	..	65	..	500	..	871	14	..	8	893	1.00	
*	5	20	..	..	4	28	6	1	..	18	132	M	900	..	1681	54	..	41	1776	54.00	12
3	7	71	3	..	11	95	23	4	2	41	124	M	700	..	977	47	29	29	1082	43.60	
..	5	70	9	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	27	..	200	..	280	60	..	..	340	60.00	
..	..	17	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	95	M	191	..	446	40	30	96	612	43.65	13
2	3	54	..	..	7	68	2	..	..	1	60	..	118	..	250	30	30	19	329	37.50	
..	1	36	..	..	10	70	2	..	..	..	202	M	2100	200	4093	500	52	204	4849	504.50	14
..	7	155	7	..	7	85	2	5	2	40	45	M	618	..	948	37	..	45	1030	17.75	15
1	1	43	6	..	6	36	4	2	1	1	50	..	225	..	283	..	..	..	283	6.50	
4	1	22	6	..	5	33	4	..	..	1	34	..	225	..	311	5	..	10	326	14.00	
..	2	11	..	..	5	19	..	..	..	..	20	..	263	..	375	7	..	..	382	7 61	
..	2	30	4	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	97	M	900	..	1230	110	20	37	1360	110.00	16
2	6	76	3	..	18	83	1	..	..	2	39	..	300	1000	450	45	..	37	532	45.00	
..	1	34	..	..	7	55	..	..	..	1	75	M	600	1800	800	..	..	..	800	..	1
†2	3	41	5	..	2	17	2	..	..	..	22	..	240	1650	240	6	..	31	277	..	2
*	..	17	..	..	1	15	..	..	..	1	17	..	90	..	185	..	..	..	185	15.00	
†1	2	10	..	..	3	25	..	..	..	..										4.00	
																					1
																					1
40	136	1914	132	12	214	1741	195	34	37	152	3391	16	22687	26677	43011	2850	1349	2434	49644	2985.33	
43	135	1821	111	10	200	1647	117	32	14	139	3346	16	21709	27342	39890	2591	1766	3141	47221	2807.98	
..	1	93	21	2	14	94	78	2	23	13	45	..	978	..	3121	259	..	..	2423	177.35	
3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	665	..	..	417	707	..	..	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	11	Number of Mission Fields	2
" Congregations in them	23	" Preaching Stations in them	3
" Augmented Charges	5	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	18
" Congregations in them	14	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	40

WM. O. RHOAD, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

*Last year's figures.

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Danville and Asbestos	H. Crawford Scott (O.M.)	Danville	W. G. Clark	Asbestos
2	Hampden	Malcolm Gillies	Milan	A. D. Nicholson	Milan
	Milan				
	Marsboro				
3	Inverness and Adderly	William Reynolds	Inverness	Lewis Bolduc	Inverness
4	Kinnear's Mills and Reid's	Hugh K. Gilmour	Lemesurier	S. Warcup	Robertsonville
5	Lake Megantic	Student	Leggatt's Point	M. D. McKenzie	Lake Megantic
6	Leggatt's Point	L. Beaton (Supply)	Levis	Angus Campbell	Leggatt's Point
7	Levis	Donald S. Traill, M.A., M.Th.		L. B. Cathcart	Breakeyville
	Breakeyville				
	Charney				
8	Melbourne	J. Lloyd Hughes	Melbourne	W. E. McIver	Richmond
	Richmond				
	Flodden			Herbert L. Cathcart	St. George de Beauce.
9	Marlow and Jersey Mills	Vacant		John A. Young	Casot St., Quebec
10	Quebec, St. Andrew's	A. M. Gordon, M.A., B.D., D.D	106 Ste. Anne St., Quebec.		
11	Scotstown and Lingwick	A. D. MacLellan	Scotstown	D. L. MacRitchie	Scotstown
12	Sherbrooke, St. Andrew's	J. R. Graham, M.A., B.D.	68 Portland Ave., Sherbrooke.	W. J. Humphrey	185 London St., Sherbrooke.
13	Valcartier and Stoneham	E. B. Robinson (O.M.)	Valcartier	Walter W. Knox	R.R. 2, Loretteville
	Mission Fields				
1	Val d'Or Frontier Mission	Student	Val d'Or, Que		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		D. Lloyd Griffiths	Millerton, N.B.		
					Grand Total, 1938
					Grand Total, 1937
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	
In S.S. Charges	3	Total on Roll	10
In Augmented Charges	3	Ministers on Appendix	1
In Ordained Mission Fields	4	Grand Total of Ministers	11

5840 Cote St. Antoine Road, Montreal, April 6, 1939.

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

1	Athelstan	W. Scott Duncan	Athelstan	James Brims	Athelstan
	Elgin			Robert Rutherford	Glenelm
2	Beauharnois	A. Nimmo	Beauharnois	I. M. Anderson	Beauharnois
3	Georgetown	Donald B. Mackay, B.A., Th.B.	Howick	P. D. McArthur	Howick
4	Huntingdon	J. B. Maclean, B.A., B.D., D.D.	Huntingdon	John A. Hunter	Huntingdon
	Dewittville				
5	Lachine	T. DeC. Rayner	121-34th Ave	Gordon Phillips	542 St. Joseph St.
6	Margaret Rodger Memorial, Lachute	E. Orsborn	Lachute	J. N. A. Rice	Lachute
	Brownsburg				
7	Montreal West	H. R. Pickup, B.A.	332 Ballantyne Ave.	Geo. Stevenson	73 Percival Ave

7. PRESBYTERY OF QUEBEC

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise	Communicants: Removed from Roll	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
														$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
2	5	41	2	..	3	13	7	5	..	3	3	88	M	993	2259	1465	65	..	35	1565	65.27	1
3	7	62	1	..	5	37	..	..	3	4	..	97	M	1200	..	1824	165	49	47	2085	95.58	2
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	69.65	
2	5	31	7	..	6	71	..	1	..	1	..	58	M	700	..	1344	150	35	175	1704	150.00	3
2	6	30	2	..	5	13	1	..	..	2	..	60	M	600	..	707	112	72	100	991	111.99	4
1	3	18	..	..	1	12	3	2	1	..	..	24	M	635	4000	635	46	16	..	697	43.75	5
1	2	35	1	..	1	15	1	..	..	23	..	51	M	700	..	905	70	..	..	975	70.30	6
3	2	36	1	..	1	22	..	..	..	2	..	79	M	2400	..	2879	55	29	..	2963	10.70	7
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	92.17	
3	4	55	3	..	2	28	5	..	..	5	..	88	M	1200	..	1556	150	25	140	1871	152.00	8
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	67	73	..	9
2	2	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	18	M	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
1	6	120	6	..	9	78	..	1	..	6	..	224	M	2500	..	5697	715	189	375	6976	818.26	10
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
2	7	85	3	..	7	50	1	..	..	3	..	104	M	1300	3000	2107	129	..	78	2314	129.00	11
1	21	368	16	1	24	226	33	10	2	8	..	592	M	2700	3700	6355	637	..	362	7354	661.95	12
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	31	M	147	..	158	..	..	15	173	..	13
3	3	17	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
27	73	905	45	1	64	565	51	19	6	59	13	1514	13	15055	12959	25632	2300	415	1394	29741	2470.62	
26	69	925	29	1	68	618	45	23	10	121	..	1509	13	15278	12950	25034	2525	525	1337	29486	2666.37	
1	4	..	16	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	9	598	..	..	57	255	..	
..	..	20	..	..	4	53	..	4	4	62	..	..	..	223	..	..	225	110	..	..	195.75	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	3	Number of Mission Fields	7
" Congregations in them	5	" Preaching Stations in them	12
" Augmented Charges	4	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	14
" Congregations in them	10	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	27

ROBERT STEWART, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

8. PRESBYTERY OF MONTREAL

..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	122	M	850	..	1354	298	10	355	2017	284.80	1
2	4	56	3	..	10	130	8	5	..	1	105	..	750	..	1018	165	5	101	1289	164.80	2
..	4	38	4	..	6	50	2	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
1	5	57	3	..	6	70	3	7	1	5	63	M	1800	3000	2219	702	587	431	3939	945.54	3
1	9	95	..	..	10	102	1	3	1	6	253	M	1800	..	2983	449	112	345	3889	669.10	4
2	12	165	8	..	11	102	8	5	3	8	350	M	1800	..	4451	844	365	469	6129	1148.73	5
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
1	4	107	1	..	14	113	6	5	4	4	237	..	2400	..	3250	381	60	250	3941	389.95	6
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
2	13	103	18	1	7	40	15	5	1	5	290	M	2000	4700	4945	230	..	315	5490	243.27	7
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
1	7	97	6	..	9	91	10	8	7	4	292	..	3000	14700	6142	686	175	229	7232	686.36	7

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Montreal:—				
8	Cote des Neiges	Jean Faurot (Stated Supply)	4115 Côte des Neiges Road.	Grant Steven	5624 Gatineau Ave., Apt. 6.
9	Ephraim Scott	W. J. McIvor, M.A., B.D., S.T.D.	4909 Clanranald Ave.	O. L. Brewer	4963 Earnscliffe Ave.
10	Fairmount-Taylor	G. Lloyd Fulford, B.A., (Stated Supply).	3435 Shuter St.	C. M. Gobbett	1923 DesCarrieres Rd.
11	First	Malcolm A. Campbell, D.D.	3530 St. Famille St.	D. C. Logan	822 Pratt Ave.
12	Kensington	I. A. Montgomery, B.A., D.D.	3590 Vendome Ave.	John H. Simpson	2178 Oxford Ave.
13	Knox Crescent	David Scott, M.A., B.D.	10 Redpath Place	Wallace R. Henry	3435 Montclair Ave.
14	Kydd Memorial	Vacant		Thos. Goodman	6356-24th Ave., Rosemount.
15	Livingstone	Joseph McNeill	5550 Park Ave.	Peter Yule	2050 Mansfield.
16	Maisonneuve	George Rowland	3522 Sherbrooke St. E.	John Gordon	1433 Theodore St.
17	St. Andrew and St. Paul	George H. Donald, M.A., D.D.	1523 Crescent St.	A. R. M. MacLean, D.Sc.	4065 Gage Rd.
18	St. Cuthbert's	Henry S. Philpott, B.A.	3514 Cuvillier St.	John Nisbet	2324 Cuvillier St.
19	St. Matthew's	James Milroy, M.A.	586 Bourgeois St.	James Halliday	2362 Rozel St.
	Outremont:—				
20	MacVicar Memorial	C. Ritchie Bell, B.A., B.D.	357 De L'Epee Ave.	J. D. Henderson	6108 Mance St.
21	Outremont	Wm. McLean	551 Querbes Ave.	Robert Smith	125 Kenaston Rd., Mount Royal.
22	Ormstown	Edwin J. White, B.A., S.T.D.	Ormstown	Alan Hooker	Ormstown
	Rockburn			W. G. Gibson	Franklin Centre
23	Riverfield	D. E. Flint, B.A., S.T.D.	Riverfield	Chester W. Orr	Riverfield
	Howick				
24	St. Andrew's East	R. L. Ballantyne, D.D. (Supply)	St. Andrew's East	W. Geo. Rodger	St. Andrew's East
25	St. Lambert, St. Andrew's	H. S. Lee, B.A.	63 Hickson Ave.	Johnston Smith	100 Pine Ave.
26	Valleyfield	Archie Cassleman (O.M.)	Valleyfield	Wm. Hagen	26 St. Charles St.
27	Verdun, First	A. M. Hill, Ph.D., D.D.	299 Beatty Ave., Verdun.	J. A. Weatherlee	99 Fifth Ave., Verdun.
	Westmount:—				
28	Stanley	Frank S. Morley, B.D., Ph.D.	637 Grosvenor Ave.	Ernest J. Scott	664 Belmont Ave.
29	Melville	W. Orr Mulligan, M.A., B.D., D.D.	351 Melville Ave.	Alexander Stark	Irvine Ave.
	Ordained Mission Fields				
30	Campbell Memorial	J. M. Kik, B.A.	2340 Belgrave Ave.	E. J. Skinner	970 Girouard Ave.
31	Hemmingford	Jonathan Fletcher (O.M.)	Hemmingford	T. F. Clayland	Barrington
	Covey Hill			Wm. Perry	Covey Hill
32	Italian Mission	R. De Pierro	3460 Laval Ave.	Rev. R. De Pierro	3460 Laval Ave.
	Mission Fields				
				*Mrs. Anthony Smaill	St. Remi
1	Beechridge			J. A. McMillan	Lost River
2	Crystal Falls				
	Lake View			Peter Ferguson	St. Agnes de Dundee
	Lost River			W. J. Pollock	Mille Isles
3	Dundee				
4	Mille Isles				
	Cote St. Gabriel	W. H. Brown, M.A.	12 Winchester Ave.		
5	Tyndale House	H. A. Pritchard (Supply)	2071 Union Ave.	T. Bryan	3744 Evelyn Ave., Verdun.
6	Welsh Church				
7	Riverview				
	Cote St. Paul				
8	Gordon Mission	J. A. Smith (Supply)	1678 Logan St.	Rev. J. A. Smith	1678 Logan St.
9	French Mission, North End	J. A. Giguere	1694 Cartier St.		
10	French Mission				
	**Chinese				

8. PRESBYTERY OF MONTREAL—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

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													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	5	55	2	..	5	40	....	4	1	2	102	....	1050	.....	1787	50	.....	.....	1837	31.19	8
1	14	172	4	2	22	195	6	20	9	9	300	R H	1500	850	4336	205	334	174	5049	205.00	9
1	8	178	10	..	22	145	12	4	28	49	360	....	1300	30339	3554	393	37	45	4029	277.03	10
1	17	252	16	..	26	243	20	20	7	101	511	M	4000	7250	8986	1655	2473	764	13878	3065.60	11
1	18	225	22	5	36	266	16	36	17	12	603	....	4000	22000	13480	1051	.....	300	14831	1597.37	12
1	21	430	12	..	28	225	24	21	16	83	738	....	8000	.....	19503	7358	2922	2985	32768	7362.53	13
1	9	125	14	..	12	149	19	6	11	34	294	....	1300	11500	3123	151	.....	89	3363	206.51	14
1	6	150	19	..	15	150	12	13	5	4	356	....	1600	8100	4184	213	50	35	4482	211.09	15
1	17	357	21	..	59	508	12	9	13	6	633	R H	2500	7500	8346	757	295	280	9678	768.00	16
1	32	765	32	..	22	185	28	60	16	27	1306	....	10000	130000	43094	13332	2558	2741	61725	13464.56	17
1	3	80	11	..	18	135	7	2	8	....	134	....	1400	.....	2268	113	.....	45	2426	113.00	18
1	26	446	23	..	41	420	34	13	14	25	970	M	2400	43000	9450	442	383	273	10548	476.61	19
1	19	485	30	6	56	466	49	46	26	17	954	....	3300	16000	13495	2727	797	739	17758	2663.26	20
1	4	95	3	..	17	118	8	10	2	....	183	....	2700	6000	5245	509	.....	191	5945	508.56	21
1	10	128	6	..	7	60	10	9	2	5	269	R H	1169	3900	3026	214	9	180	3429	251.75	22
2	4	.....	1	..	6	32	4	.....	.....	1	50	....	500	650	901	58	.....	112	1071	59.00	
2	6	58	2	..	5	26	1	.....	.....	10	146	M	1600	.....	2368	169	96	234	2867	208.82	23
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
1	8	27	3	..	5	22	.....	2	3	2	105	M	1500	.....	2172	66	.....	100	2338	68.00	24
1	7	100	2	..	12	129	16	14	5	28	280	....	3000	.....	4746	179	494	294	5713	228.19	25
1	7	43	.....	.....	7	40	.....	4	.....	16	108	R H	1200	.....	1283	75	.....	.....	1358	78.20	26
1	15	615	50	2	75	980	42	35	30	50	1172	....	3000	15650	9627	720	321	332	11000	773.34	27
1	20	260	12	..	10	98	11	.....	12	14	660	....	4200	29000	12307	2219	486	1260	16272	2264.24	28
1	8	186	9	1	11	52	12	5	9	83	378	M	3000	16000	9192	2766	760	855	13573	2726.49	29
1	8	90	6	..	20	195	10	9	5	32	191	....	1400	1490	2483	150	50	100	2783	174.65	30
2	5	62	2	..	3	40	1	.....	.....	1	15	....	984	.....	1071	55	45	70	1241	58.21	31
3	1	20	2	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	10	229	M	240	.....	280	15	27	29	351	11.79	
	4	98	9	..	13	170	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	620	.....	1744	81	.....	.....	1825	177.05	32
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
1	1	17	.....	.....	1	20	.....	.....	1	.....	22	.....	100	.....	160	18	.....	.....	178	17.64	1
3	4	43	.....	.....	2	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	34	M	350	.....	450	.....	.....	.....	450	.....	2
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2	47	....	200	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	4
1	5	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	30	....	165	.....	165	.....	.....	.....	165	.....	
2	2	46	.....	.....	2	31	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	63	....	.....	.....	662	40	40	.....	742	40.00	5
1	.....	255	.....	.....	13	141	13	6	5	.....	36	....	700	.....	796	100	.....	.....	896	100.00	6
1	4	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	75	.....	.....	.....	75	.....	7
	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	120	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	100	2.80	8
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	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	343	.....	.....	.....	343	.....	9
1	.....	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	122	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10
1	5	164	4	2	9	91	31	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.70	

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Others on Roll				
1	Principal, Presbyterian College	F. Scott Mackenzie, D.Th., D.D	3491 McTavish St.,	Montreal	
2	Professor, Presbyterian College	W. Harvey-Jellie, M.A., B.D., D.D., D.Litt.	4458 Western Ave.,	Montreal	
3	Retired	James Steven	3232 Lacombe Ave.,	Montreal	
4	Synodical Missionary	Allan S. Reid, B.A., B.D., D.D.	3485 McTavish St.,	Montreal	
5	Retired	George Whillans, B.A., D.D.	Apt. 2, 11 Oldfield Ave.,	Montreal	
6	Professor, Presbyterian College	D. J. Fraser, M.A., D.D., LL.D.	1610 Sherbrooke St. W.	Apt. 26, Montreal	
7		James Adams, B.A., B.Th.	227 Elm Ave.,	Westmount	
8	Professor, Presbyterian College	Frank W. Beare, B.A.	3534 University St.,	Montreal	
9	Retired	W. D. Reid, M.A., B.D., D.D.	619 Victoria Ave.,	Westmount	
10	Retired	J. D. Anderson, B.A., D.D.	Beauharnois, Que.		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		W. E. Atchison, B.D.	c/o Central Y.M.C.A.,	Toronto	
2		R. L. Ballantyne, D.D.	St. Andrew's East, Que.		
3		W. H. Brown, M.A.	12 Winchester Ave.,	Westmount	
4		S. J. Dayon	4312 Madison Ave.,	Montreal	
5		Henry DuBois, B.A., B.D.	c/o Montreal West High School,	Montreal West	
6		George Extence, B.A.	95 Sunnyside Ave.,	Ottawa	
7		Geo. W. Mingie, M.A., B.D., B.C.L.	582 Bourgeois St.,	Montreal	
		Allister Murray	41 Kingston Ave.,	Sherbrooke, Que.	
8		W. Oliver Nugent, B.A.	3415 Redpath St.,	Montreal	
9		DeC. Hamilton Rayner	Box 288, Georgetown,	British Guiana	
10	Foreign Missionary	G. W. Thom	Almonte, Ont.		
11		George E. Ross, D.D.	5553 Queen Mary Rd.,	Apt. 5, Montreal	
12		M. H. Sewell, B.D., Th.B.	3890 Dandurand Ave.,	Montreal	
13					
					Grand Total, 1938
					Grand Total, 1937
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
- In S.S. Charges 21
- In Augmented Charges 3
- In Ordained Mission Fields 2

Others on Roll 10
Total on Roll 36
Ministers on Appendix 13
Grand Total of Ministers 49

3485 McTavish St., Montreal, April 5, 1939.

**Reported by Treasurer. *Not an Elder.

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

1	Avonmore	Malcolm N. McDonald	Avonmore	Neil McMillan	Avonmore
2	Cornwall, St. John	G. S. Lloyd, M.A., B.D.	Cornwall	J. G. Harkness, K.C.	Cornwall
3	Finch	W. E. Davies, B.A.	Finch	W. Arthur MacMillan	Finch
	Crysler				
4	Kenyon	D. N. MacMillan, M.A., B.D., Ph.D.	Dunvegan	D. J. Stewart	Dunvegan
5	Kirkhill	Norman F. Sharkey, B.A. (S.S.)	Kirkhill	Jas. L. MacMillan	Kirkhill
6	Lancaster	S. Mc. Kerr, B.A., B.D.	Lancaster	J. Dougall McDonald	Lancaster
7	Martintown	James G. Berry, M.A., B.D., D.D.	Martintown	Rev. James G. Berry	Martintown
	Williamstown				

8. PRESBYTERY OF MONTREAL—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Received: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938 $ c	Number
													‡4550								1
													‡3600								2
																					3
																					4
													‡2700								5
													‡3600								6
																					7
													‡3600								8
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																					10
													†1850								11
																					12
																					13
54	381	6793	370	19	668	6255	479	394	264	663	13113	16	83378	371629	221364	39636	13491	14722	289213	42724.73	
53	379	6874	379	41	688	6571	490	374	358	449	13352	18	82837	387623	224400	30560	14890	14957	284807	29113.55	
1	2							20		214			541			9076			4406	13611.18	
		81	9	22	20	316	11		94		239	2		15994	3036		1399	235			

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 23
" Congregations in them 29
" Augmented Charges 7
" Congregations in them 7

Number of Mission Fields 12
" Preaching Stations in them 18
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 42
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations. 54

‡Salaries. †Salary paid by Board of Missions.

ALLAN S. REID, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

9. PRESBYTERY OF GLENGARRY

3	7	98	1	..	9	75	..	..	3	6	193	M	1800	.....	2585	146	35	146	2911	145.84	1
1	12	300	21	..	30	300	69	56	..	44	572	M	2500	.....	6961	1800	430	1202	10393	1800.00	2
2	8	130	12	..	11	90	22	6	6	9	275	M	1800	.....	2256	350	324	329	3259	350.00	3
..	4	23	3	..	8	35	4	..	..	1	69	..	.....	.....	370	69	11	85	536	6.10	
1	12	125	11	..	26	140	13	3	4	6	320	M	1800	.....	3606	411	50	480	4558	409.84	4
											256	M	1400	1100	3262	267	140	422	4092	203.65	5
*1	6	150	3	..	8	65	3	4	.....	.....	239	M	1800	.....	4103	160	.....	382	4645	140.00	6
1	12	92	.....	..	13	83	1	3	.....	2	118	M	1300	.....	1615	112	.....	127	1860	111.55	7
2	6	50	.....	..	6	16	4	.....	.....	1	55	.....	.....	.....	525	50	.....	85	630	50.00	
..	3	30	2	..	2	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
8	Maxville	R. W. Ellis	Maxville	John A. Welsh	Maxville
9	Moose Creek	Walter Ross	Moose Creek	J. D. MacLean	R.R. 1, Maxville
10	St. Elmo	Vacant		Allen MacDonald	R.R. 1, Maxville
11	Vankleek Hill	E. E. Preston, B.D.	Vankleek Hill	A. D. McRae	Vankleek Hill
12	Woodlands	Wm. Fitzsimons	Farran's Point	Ivan Eaman	Wales
	Farran's Point				
	Aultsville			John M. Loucks	Aultsville
	Mission Fields				
1	Cote St. George			K. J. McCuaig	Dalhousie Sta., P.Q.
2	Gravel Hill				
	Monklands	Attached to Avonmore			
	Appendix to Roll				
1		James Hagen, M.A.	Meath Park, Sask.		

Grand Total, 1938
Grand Total, 1937
Increase
Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 7
In Augmented Charges 3
In Ordained Mission Fields ....

Others on Roll ....
Total on Roll 10
Ministers on Appendix 1
Grand Total of Ministers 11

Martintown, Ont., April 12, 1939.

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

1	Aylmer	Harold G. Lowry, M.A.	20 Front St., Hull, P.Q.	Hugh Kilpatrick	82 Cambridge St., Ottawa, Ont.
	Hull, Cushman			George Steele	242½ St. Joseph's Blvd., Hull, P.Q.
2	Bristol	Vacant		John A. Armstrong	Bristol, P.Q.
	Stark's				
3	Fort Coulonge	H. F. Dann, B.A.	Fort Coulonge, P.Q.	Ernest F. Russell	Fort Coulonge, P.Q.
4	Hawkesbury, St. Paul's	Arthur J. Back	Hawkesbury, Ont.	Dr. A. P. Rutherford	Hawkesbury, Ont.
5	Kars	Arthur C. Young, B.A.	Manotick, Ont.	Allan Lindsay	Kars, Ont.
	Manotick			Thomas Gamble	Manitock Station, Ont.
6	Kinburn	G. F. Partridge, B.A.	Kinburn, Ont.	R. H. Laughlin	Kinburn, Ont.
	Pakenham			Harold A. Blair	Pakenham, Ont.
	Torbolton			J. A. Ross	Woodlawn, Ont.
	Ottawa:—				
7	Erskine	Robert Good, B.Litt.	345 Bronson Ave.	H. E. Hughston	224 Fourth Ave.
8	Knox	R. Johnston, M.A., D.D.	197 Carling Ave.	F. A. McDiarmid	199 Second Ave.
9	St. Andrew's	Alex. Ferguson, M.A., B.D.	141 Powell Ave.	Francis F. Burpee	80 Carling Ave.
10	St. Giles	J. Logan-Vencta, M.A.	146 Carling Ave.	F. E. L. Coombs	279 Second Ave.
11	Richmond	A. Newton Reid, M.A.	Richmond, Ont.	S. B. Gordon	Richmond, Ont.
	Stittsville			Rev. A. N. Reid	Richmond, Ont.
12	Vernon	C. L. Mitchell, B.A., B.D.	Vernon, Ont.	Willis McRostie	R.R. 3, Metcalfe, Ont.
	Russell			Alfred Morrow	Russell, Ont.
13	Westboro	Wm. Patterson, B.A., D.D.	Westboro, Ont.	George L. Hill	Westboro, Ont.
	Gloucester			Alex. Patterson	Hurdman's Bridge, Ont

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	6	85	1	..	8	50	3	3	2	2	164	M	1600	.....	3200	140	.....	266	3600	125.12	8
1	6	37	.....	..	6	41	8	2	3	2	81	M	752	.....	1505	45	.....	122	1672	45.00	9
1	4	35	4	..	3	30	.....	.....	.....	7	66	M	900	.....	1443	120	96	165	1828	84.00	10
1	6	130	26	..	12	187	8	6	3	23	399	M	2250	.....	4566	283	478	255	5582	282.66	11
3	4	28	.....	..	3	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	79	M	480	.....	535	34	.....	71	640	16.00	12
..	3	36	5	1	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	50	...	240	.....	300	.....	.....	.....	300	2.00	
..	6	30	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	70	...	480	.....	579	17	.....	69	648	16.60	
1	3	25	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	45	...	387	.....	626	.....	.....	111	762	.....	1
..	4	50	.....	..	.....	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
..	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
..	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
19	112	1454	89	1	145	1137	142	83	25	103	3051	12	19489	1100	38037	4004	1564	4317	47916	3788.36	
19	113	1454	106	5	142	1054	105	32	27	199	2960	12	20391	3300	35211	3539	1444	4237	46315	3415.56	
..	.....	.....	.....	..	3	83	37	51	.....	.....	91	...	.....	.....	2826	465	120	80	1601	372.80	
..	1	.....	17	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	96	.....	...	902	2200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 8
" Congregations in them 11
" Augmented Charges 4
" Congregations in them 7

Number of Mission Fields 2
" Preaching Stations in them 1
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 14
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations . 19

*Last year's figures.

JAMES G. BERRY, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

10. PRESBYTERY OF OTTAWA

2	7	42	3	..	5	65	.....	.....	.....	1	90	M	600	.....	1875	100	20	70	2045	100.00	1
..	6	70	7	..	12	119	1	3	....	1	153	M	1400	.....	4050	200	295	.....	4545	200.00	
*2	6	27	.....	..	5	50	2	.....	.....	6	66	M	825	.....	1236	171	.....	143	1550	81.40	2
..	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
1	4	30	4	..	3	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	65	M	1600	.....	2178	23	4	91	2295	22.58	3
1	5	60	1	..	5	50	2	2	2	....	115	M	1200	.....	2109	105	.....	70	2284	105.00	4
2	4	26	1	..	4	33	....	1	2	.....	51	...	400	34	439	27	.....	30	496	27.14	5
..	4	56	3	..	6	34	....	2	4	10	122	M	900	4000	1460	65	.....	46	1571	60.58	
3	3	27	.....	..	7	38	....	2	....	2	76	M	650	.....	894	57	.....	40	991	56.93	6
..	1	10	1	..	3	17	.....	.....	.....	1	21	...	150	.....	200	5	.....	12	217	5.00	
..	3	29	2	..	2	26	....	7	.....	.....	37	....	500	.....	600	36	.....	82	718	36.00	
1	20	541	42	4	44	489	26	42	7	12	949	M	2500	6000	13246	1000	420	506	15175	848.00	7
1	26	428	17	7	32	231	23	21	8	27	845	M	5000	.....	13973	3318	230	552	18072	3317.81	8
1	22	500	16	2	43	457	15	13	4	18	860	R H	3026	.....	29675	10775	377	1279	42107	10900.22	9
1	16	275	9	1	28	180	17	20	5	8	528	....	3000	24580	7320	825	274	289	8708	824.65	10
1	6	40	8	5	10	52	8	2	....	2	81	M	800	.....	1225	91	.....	42	1358	91.00	11
2	4	26	2	..	7	60	7	9	.....	.....	40	....	400	.....	590	40	.....	.....	630	40.00	
..	4	26	2	..	7	57	5	1	....	3	149	M	1300	.....	1780	129	23	72	2003	105.57	12
2	5	70	1	..	7	57	5	1	....	3	72	....	500	1029	913	8	.....	74	995	.....	
..	4	28	.....	1	6	45	2	.....	.....	1	175	....	731	3200	1521	83	12	56	1604	36.35	13
2	4	80	20	..	17	121	5	5	3	4	65	....	400	.....	461	52	10	54	746	52.00	
..	4	23	10	..	3	23	8	.....	.....	5											

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Mission Fields				
1	Buckingham	Donald Nicholson	Buckingham, P.Q.	Ernest Wiseman	Buckingham, P.Q.
	Thurso			Thomas McCallum	R.R., Masson, P.Q.
	†Ottawa, St. Stephen's				
	†Presbytery of Ottawa				
	Others on Roll				
1		Hugh Cameron, B.A., D.D.	164 Holmwood Ave.,	Ottawa, Ont.	
	Appendix to Roll				
1		J. M. Kellock, M.A., B.D.	Vancouver, B.C.		
2		N. F. Sharkey, B.A.	Kirkhill, Ont.		
					Grand Total, 1938
					Grand Total, 1937
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	7	Total on Roll	14
In Augmented Charges	5	Ministers on Appendix	2
In Ordained Mission Fields	1	Grand Total of Ministers	16

Ottawa, Ont., March 30, 1939.

†Reported by Treasurer.

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

1	Almonte, St. John's	A. J. Fowlie, B.A.	Almonte	Lloyd Watson	Almonte
2	Arnprior, St. Andrew's	Thomas McAfee	Arnprior	Hugh Cochrane, M.D.	Arnprior
3	Carleton Place, St. Andrew's	James Foote, B.A.	Carleton Place	Geo. W. Allan	Carleton Place
4	Cobden, St. Andrew's	George W. Conners, Ph.D.	Cobden	D. A. McDonald	Cobden
	Wolftown, St. John's			Rev. G. W. Conners	Cobden
	Scotland			Rev. G. W. Conners	Cobden
5	Lockwinnoch	T. S. Hutton	Glasgow Station	James Miller	Glasgow Station
	Stewartville			John Stewart	Goshen
	Dewars			John MacMillan	R.R. 1, Braeside
6	McDonald's Corners, Knox	Kenneth McCaskill, M.A., B.D.	McDonald's Corners	Walter Geddes	Dalhousie Lake
	Elphin				
	Snow Road				
7	Pembroke, First Church	R. Bertram Nelles	Pembroke	D. W. Blakely	Pembroke
8	Perth, St. Andrew's	H. A. Berlis	Perth	Rev. H. A. Berlis	Perth
9	Renfrew	Louis H. Fowler, M.A., B.D.	Renfrew	James C. Fraser	Renfrew
10	Ross, St. Andrew's	H. T. Kalem, B.A.	507 McLeod St., Ottawa.	John Wilson	Forester's Falls
11	Smith's Falls, Westminster	J. MacBeath Miller, B.A., M.A., B.D.	Smith's Falls	Harry Barker	Smith's Falls
	Mission Fields				
1	Alice	Supplied from Pembroke		John Cochrane	R.R. 5, Pembroke
2	Beachburg			John J. McLean	Beachburg
3	Braeside			*R. H. Robbins	Braeside
	White Lake, St. Andrew's			*Ronald Barrie	White Lake

10. PRESBYTERY OF OTTAWA—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

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2	3	20	3				3			3	25		600		750	32		10	792	32.00	1
..	2	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	15	..	155	..	155	20	..	31	205	20.00	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4.00	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	27.50	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
23	159	2418	150	20	249	2162	124	130	35	105	4600	12	26637	38843	86650	17162	1665	3549	109107	17043.73	
22	150	2359	145	10	245	2079	115	91	45	104	4416	12	28001	38750	83475	16268	5810	3629	109190	16614.86	
1	9	59	5	10	4	83	9	39	..	1	184	..	..	93	3175	894	..	..	..	428.87	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	..	..	1364	..	..	..	4145	80	83	..	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	7	Number of Mission Fields	1
" Congregations in them	9	" Preaching Stations in them	2
" Augmented Charges	6	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	14
" Congregations in them	12	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	23

*Last year's figures.

HUGH CAMERON, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

11. PRESBYTERY OF LANARK AND RENFREW

1	7	90	5	4	8	70	10	..	2	5	161	M	1125	7700	2410	110	100	88	2708	112.42	1
1	5	144	10	..	11	104	4	..	..	6	214	R H	1200	10000	7843	52	87	81	8063	57.50	2
1	6	140	12	..	14	156	8	3	2	4	336	M	2050	7000	4041	397	58	353	4849	397.17	3
3	5	45	3	..	6	41	2	..	2	1	88	M	585	..	710	72	106	82	970	66.00	4
..	6	22	..	..	6	34	..	..	..	1	55	..	300	..	380	53	60	21	434	53.00	
..	4	17	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	4	45	..	270	..	380	37	..	90	504	36.67	
3	4	31	10	..	3	62	2	..	..	..	89	M	425	..	529	16	18	94	657	15.23	5
..	3	21	2	2	..	12	2	1	..	..	41	..	167	..	234	9	..	40	283	9.80	
..	2	25	2	..	3	40	..	..	2	1	53	..	256	..	272	9	..	30	311	7.00	
..	2	25	2	..	3	40	..	..	2	1	53	..	256	..	272	9	..	30	311	7.00	
3	4	66	4	1	7	38	3	1	1	3	157	M	700	..	742	202	58	154	1356	202.72	6
..	4	41	..	..	5	23	1	..	..	2	85	..	460	..	668	70	32	46	815	69.11	
..	4	24	3	1	3	24	2	1	..	..	85	..	300	..	522	38	..	65	625	37.27	
..	4	24	3	1	3	24	2	1	..	..	85	..	300	..	522	38	..	65	625	37.27	
1	7	87	12	..	10	80	16	11	..	4	173	R H	1800	19000	3682	159	..	96	4937	161.82	7
1	7	87	12	..	10	80	16	11	..	4	173	R H	1800	19000	3682	159	..	96	4937	161.82	8
1	7	260	12	1	12	87	7	6	2	5	484	R H	2400	..	6013	810	149	483	7455	810.50	9
1	12	195	14	..	14	145	8	1	4	10	464	R H	2200	13500	8098	430	50	247	8825	377.44	10
1	4	37	2	..	10	72	1	1	..	..	69	M	1200	..	1778	56	56	177	2067	55.65	11
1	22	435	16	1	28	332	26	9	3	13	789	M	2400	28000	11496	1185	85	422	13188	1184.80	11
1	2	16	..	..	2	7	2	..	..	..	57	M	217	..	490	49	..	93	632	48.95	1
1	1	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	18	..	147	1000	270	..	..	19	289	..	2
1	1	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	M	95	..	110	..	5	..	115	5.00	3
2	2	18	3	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	10	..	79	1000	91	14	..	..	105	13.00	
..	1	8	..	..	1	14	..	..	..	1	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
No.				
4 Chalk River			*Mrs. W. Kennedy	Chalk River
Petawawa			*Mrs. M. Selkirk	Petawawa
5 Douglas, Knox			*Mrs. G. Sutherland	Hyndford
Scotch Bush, St. Andrew's			*Miss Victoria Sharpe	Hyndford
Micksburg			*Richard Tennant	Eganville
Lake Dore				
Appendix to Roll				
1	John Hardwick	449 Quebec Ave., Toronto, Ont.		
2	Bunyan McLeod, D.D.	Perth, Ont.		

Grand Total, 1938
Grand Total, 1937
Increase
Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 7
In Augmented Charges 4
In Ordained Mission Fields ..

Others on Roll ..
Total on Roll 11
Ministers on Appendix 2
Grand Total of Ministers 13

Carleton Place, Ont., April 18, 1939.

*Not Elders.

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938 $ c	Number
2	1	10									17										4
		6			3	17					22										
4	1	9					2	2		2	23	M	52	218	52		29		81		5
		7						3			13		75		88	15			103	15.00	
	2	10		25				5			27		90		90			19	109		
	2	6			2	14					20										
																					1
																					2
27	118	1780	110	35	148	1372	100	44	21	64	3612	14	18593	87418	50909	3783	893	2700	59481	3736.05	
27	120	1794	128	50	143	1343	142	56	32	56	3602	14	18694	91216	44107	3716	1112	2641	51685	3846.84	
					5	29				8	10				6802	67		59	7796		
	2	14	18	15			42	12	11				101	3798			219			110.79	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 7
" Congregations in them 9
" Augmented Charges 4
" Congregations in them 8

Number of Mission Fields 5
" Preaching Stations in them 10
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields 16
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations 27

James Foote, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

1 Brockville, First Church	Henry Cousens, B.A., B.D.	12 Church St., Brockville.	John C. Mace	207 King St. E., Brockville
2 Caintown	Stated Supply		John Beatty	R.R. 4, Mallorytown
Lansdowne			Floyd Stringer	Lansdowne
3 Cardinal	Alex. R. Gibson	Cardinal	Elmer Hunter	Cardinal
Mainsville			Rev. Alex. R. Gibson	Cardinal
4 Chesterville	Vacant		W. T. Rae	Chesterville
Dunbar			Lyle Thom	R.R. 2, Williamsburg
5 Iroquois	J. A. Koffend	Iroquois	R. J. Thompson	Iroquois
Dixon's Corners				
6 Kemptville	B. D. Armstrong, B.A.	Kemptville	D. M. Bayne	Kemptville
Oxford Mills				
7 Morewood	Vacant		Lennox Baker	Cannamore
Russell			Alfred Morrow	Russell
8 Morrisburg	J. Burkholder (Resigned)	Orchard Cottage, Farran's Point, Ont.		
9 Prescott	M. W. Heslip	Prescott	R. T. Alexander	Prescott
10 South Mountain	T. Miller Revie	South Mountain	Rev. T. Miller Revie	South Mountain
Mountain Station				
11 Spencerville	H. P. Maitland	Spencerville	A. W. Keilor	Spencerville
East Oxford			Percy Gardner	Oxford Station
Ventnor			John Gray	Ventnor
12 Westport	Wm. Merrilees	Westport	Rev. Wm. Merrilees	Westport
Newboro				
13 Winchester	W. D. Turner, B.A.	Winchester	R. J. Empey	Winchester
Winchester Springs			I. P. McIntosh	Winchester Springs
Mission Field				
1 Stone's Corners				

12. PRESBYTERY OF BROCKVILLE

1	16	311	13		26	215	9	14	5	10	570	M	2500		8144	1417		339	9900	1424.83	1
2	3	40	1		7	33		1		1	113		780		1315	86		118	1519	86.00	2
	6	58	5		7	57	3				114	M	780	2500	1803	75		85	1963	75.00	
2	8	82	3		9	72	7	2	2	3	149	M	1275		2379	209		203	2791	208.70	3
	2	16	1		8	25					23		325		445	13		102	560		
2	4	30			5	30	3			2	72	M	447		1097	21	2	142	1262	22.70	4
	3	34	4		4	48			3		62		363		700	42	5	103	850	46.80	
2	3	41	6		5	35	7	2	1	3	95	M	1475		2706	164		156	3026	162.82	5
	1	19	2				1			1	34		325		594			121	715		
2	5	95	1		6	56	1	9	2	18	214	M	1500		3188	135		202	3525	135.16	6
															1431	105		224	1760	105.10	7
2	6	48	3		6	46	3		3	6	125	M									
	4	25	1							19	65		270	1000	635		3	4	642		
1	7	47	1		6	42	5		4	1	134	M	960		2228	90		205	2523	89.96	8
1	4	110	6		6	54	3	3	2	23	185	M	1800		2783	133	147	132	3195	64.16	9
2	3	20	1		4	15		1	2		47	M	500		990	9	26	36	1061	10.85	10
	3	16			4	36					36		300		767	8		33	808		
3	5	61	2		9	51					126	M	825		1810	84		83	1977	164.82	11
	4	26	2		3	20	6		2		47		350		510	20		76	606		
	3	34			11	62		1	1	1	75		425		646	64		91	801	4.73	
2	2	32			4	17					73	M	900		1387	81			1468	61.00	12
	1	7	1		3	18					15		100		215	14			229	14.30	
2	4	58	3		7	54	11	4	4	12	135	M	1200		2310	239	30	290	2869	239.00	13
	3	20	4		7	62		2	2	1	51		400		552	5	10	75	642	3.50	
1		12			3	22					25		170		270				270		

SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Others on Roll				
1		N. A. MacLeod, B.A., B.D., Ph.D., D.D.	181 King St. E., Brockville, Ont.		
2		George McGregor, B.D.	Prescott, Ont.		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		R. C. Archer, B.A.	West Lorne, Ont.		
2		W. J. Hurlow	258 Laurier Ave., Ottawa, Ont.		
					Grand Total, 1938
					Grand Total, 1937
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	2
In S.S. Charges	8	Total on Roll	12
In Augmented Charges	1	Ministers on Appendix	2
In Ordained Mission Fields	1	Grand Total of Ministers	14

Westport, Ont., April 21, 1939.

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

1 Amherst Island, St. Paul's	R. K. Earls, B.A.	R.R.2, Stella, Amherst Island.	Rev. R. K. Earls	R.R.2, Stella, Amherst Island.
2 Belleville, St. Andrew's	W. J. Walker, B.D.	271 George St.	W. J. Campbell	84 Bridge St. W., Belleville.
3 Camden East	J. H. Douglas (O.M.)	Deseronto	*Miss M. Gay	
Deseronto, Church of the Redeemer.			J. Smith	Deseronto
Ernestown			*Mrs. M. Hoggel	
4 Foxboro, St. Andrew's	J. W. MacDonald, B.A.	Roslin	C. H. Ketcheson	R.R. 2, Belleville
Fuller, Knox			H. Redcliffe	Thomasburg
Roslin, St. Andrew's			Donald Leslie	R.R. 1, Lotta
5 Gananoque, St. Andrew's	C. E. Kidd, B.A., B.D.	Gananoque	Rev. C. E. Kidd	Gananoque
6 Glenvale	P. Jamieson	Wilton	Rev. P. Jamieson	Wilton
Sunbury, St. Andrew's				
Wilton				
7 Kingston, St. Andrew's	J. W. Stephen, D.D.	Kingston	R. J. Diack	231 Alfred St.
8 Madoc, St. Peter's	W. A. Hunter, B.A., B.D.	Madoc	George Wright	Madoc
9 Picton, St. Andrew's	M. E. R. Boudreau, B.A., B.D., S.T.D.	Picton	C. S. McGillivray	Picton
10 Pittsburg, St. John's	A. E. Cameron, B.A., B.D.	R.R. 1, Kingston	Neil McDonald	R.R. 1, Kingston
Sand Hill			Rev. A. E. Cameron	R.R. 1, Kingston
11 Seymour	J. A. McMillan	R.R. 2, Campbellford	Alex. Milne	R.R. 3, Campbellford
12 Stirling, St. Andrew's	W. H. V. Walker	Stirling	T. J. McGee	Stirling
West Huntington			A. E. Horton	West Huntington
13 Trenton, St. Andrew's	C. E. Dougan, B.A., Ph.D.	52 Marmora St., Trenton	C. V. Wilkins	Marmora St., Trenton

12. PRESBYTERY OF BROCKVILLE—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938 $ c	Number
																					1
																					2
																					11
																					12
25	100	1242	60		150	1070	59	39	33	101	2585	13	17970	3500	38905	3014	223	2820	44962	2919.43	
26	106	1295	66	3	160	1150	95	37	30	67	2622	13	19834	4336	36311	3785	210	2942	43248	3349.88	
								2	3	34					2594		13		1714		
1	6	53	6	3	10	80	36				37		1864	836		771		122		430.45	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	11	Number of Mission Fields	2
" Congregations in them	20	" Preaching Stations in them	3
" Augmented Charges	1	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	14
" Congregations in them	2	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	25

WM. MERRILEES, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

13. PRESBYTERY OF KINGSTON

1	3	40	2		4	25				3	100	M	1000		1091	37		35	1163	39.70	1
1	19	200	17		20	230	24	47	11	10	664	M	3000	5800	8800	1578		370	10748	1578.00	2
3	1	10			6	22	3	2		1	14		160		244	21		25	267	21.46	3
	5	24					1	3			36	M	450	368	1397	74		46	1555	47.15	
											5		77		77						
		6	2								38		623		860	66		81	1007	66.44	4
3	4	24			6	38					28		283		438	31			469	26.40	
	3	14	1							1	32	M	193		322	9		24	355	9.00	
	3	14	6							5	274	M	1800	3100	3445	228		232	3900	227.75	5
1	12	120	6	1	10	89	7	6			18		122			5			127	4.50	6
3	2	8									30		472		512	4		21	537	5.35	
	3	20	2		3	28			1	1	18	M	308		416			35	455	4.20	
	2	24	4								770	M	3000	8958	12302	2185	1112	525	16124	2184.79	7
1	14	225	17		22	231	26	21	10	35	163	M	1600		2217	206		291	2714	206.70	8
1	4	70	1		11	120	1	1	5	3	219	M	1800	1650	2949	93		119	3161	87.03	9
1	6	116	6		11	118	4	3	1	4											
											60	M	485		631	44	30	63	768	48.19	10
2	4	27	1		6	52	4				59		655		863	73	23	127	1086	84.00	
	3	29	1		8	34	2		3	8	125	M	1200		1503			86	1643	63.94	11
1	7	50	2		12	60	5			2	118	M	900		1513	39		42	1594	42.31	12
2	8	55			9	67				7	45		502		852	30		79	961	25.25	
	4	23			7	38					209	R H	1600	5350	3700	129	40	47	3916	139.07	13
1	7	101	3	1			9	1		1											

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
No.				
Mission Field				
1 Tweed	Under care of Madoc			
				Grand Total, 1938
				Grand Total, 1937
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 9
In Augmented Charges 3
In Ordained Mission Fields 1

Others on Roll ....
Total on Roll 13
Ministers on Appendix ....
Grand Total of Ministers 13

TRENTON, ONT., MARCH 13, 1939.

*Not Clerk of Session.

13. PRESBYTERY OF KINGSTON—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938: $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938: c	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$			
1	2	18	.....	.....	5	17	.....	.....	.....	1	39	M	416	.....	947	45	.....	45	1037	58	65	1
22	116	1218	71	2	140	1169	85	83	33	82	3064	14	20646	25226	45079	4897	1205	2293	53587	4969	88	
22	116	1248	87	6	176	1279	80	126	24	130	3050	14	20785	31480	44953	4923	1243	2042	55437	5040	82	
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	9	.....	14	.....	.....	.....	126	.....	.....	251	.....	.....	.....	
..	.....	30	16	4	36	110	.....	43	.....	48	.....	.....	139	6254	.....	26	38	.....	1850	70	94	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 9
" Congregations in them 11
" Augmented Charges 4
" Congregations in them 10

Number of Mission Fields 1
" Preaching Stations in them 1
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 14
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations . 22

CHAS. E. DOUGAN, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

1 Ballyduff	Vacant		Hildon Johnston	Janetville	3	4	37	2	..	5	44	2	5	2	.....	61		600	.....	650	9	.....	.....	659	5.00	1
Janetville					..	2	30	2	..	6	30	1	.....	.....	.....	41	M	600	.....	689	5	.....	.....	694	7.60	
Nestleton			John Dickey	Nestleton	..	2	30	2	..	6	35	.....	4	1	5	68		600	.....	805	81	.....	.....	886	61.15	
2 Bowmanville	W. G. Blake (S.S.)	Bowmanville	J. Ross Stutt, Phm.B.	Bowmanville	2	4	55	1	..	10	72	3	9	.....	3	92	M	667	6200	1743	77	63	157	2040	75.00	2
Newtonville			Joseph Sexsmith	R.R. 3, Port Hope	..	3	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23		336	.....	340	13	.....	.....	51	404	13.50	
3 Brighton	S. D. Jamieson (Supply)	Brighton	G. Findlay Clark	Brighton	1	5	35	1	..	7	51	3	2	.....	.....	42		750	.....	1168	.....	.....	75	1243	3.75	3
4 Campbellford	B. Simpson Black, B.A., B.D.	Campbellford	W. H. T. Dunk	Campbellford	1	14	150	9	..	16	120	.....	3	19	9	271	M	1800	.....	4669	245	275	172	5361	240.90	4
5 Centreville	Vacant		Rev. D. A. MacKenzie, B.A.	South Monaghan	1	14	150	9	..	16	120	.....	3	19	9	271	M	1800	.....	4669	245	275	172	5361	240.90	4
Millbrook			Charles Gardiner	Millbrook	2	6	74	8	..	10	46	2	2	.....	2	187	.....	1009	.....	1817	189	152	231	2389	200.30	5
6 Cobourg, St. Andrew's	J. B. Rhodes, M.A.	Cobourg	A. W. Skinner	Cobourg	..	6	55	4	..	12	60	8	3	.....	3	131	M	900	.....	1518	54	30	113	1715	60.25	
7 Colborne, St. Andrew's	C. G. Graham, B.A.	Colborne	Ronald MacLean	Colborne	..	6	55	4	..	12	60	8	3	.....	3	131	M	900	.....	1518	54	30	113	1715	60.25	
Lakeport			Rev. C. G. Graham	Colborne	..	13	155	13	2	21	200	38	16	4	102	330	R H	2000	6000	7036	380	20	362	7798	324.07	6
Grafton					1	13	155	13	2	21	200	38	16	4	102	330	R H	2000	6000	7036	380	20	362	7798	324.07	6
8 Hastings	D. K. Perrie, B.A.	Hastings	John E. Taylor	Hastings	1	3	60	.....	.....	5	35	.....	.....	.....	2	42		300	.....	500	5	.....	.....	505	6.00	
Havelock			Dr. A. S. Thompson, F.R.C.S.	Havelock	..	3	20	.....	.....	6	40	.....	.....	.....	2	42		300	.....	500	5	.....	.....	505	6.00	
Norwood			Harry Godin	Norwood	..	3	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	26		100	.....	150	.....	.....	48	198	.....	
9 Keene	Vacant		John Renwick	Keene	3	5	63	10	..	6	60	.....	1	4	2	121	M	850	.....	1427	64	.....	93	1584	63.41	8
Westwood			Archie Shearer	Westwood	..	5	60	.....	.....	5	40	6	1	2	2	121		500	.....	905	39	.....	58	1002	41.41	
Warsaw			John Rose	Warsaw	3	5	63	10	..	6	60	.....	1	4	2	121	M	850	.....	1427	64	.....	93	1584	63.41	8
10 Lakefield	J. Mason Young, B.A.	Omemee	J. M. Simpson, B.A.	Lakefield	..	5	60	.....	.....	5	40	6	1	2	2	121		500	.....	905	39	.....	58	1002	41.41	
Lakevale			Joseph Tully	R.R. 2, Peterborough	..	4	75	2	..	5	40	.....	2	2	1	159		650	.....	1406	78	.....	221	1705	77.50	
Omemee			David Dick	R.R. 2, Omemee	3	4	75	2	..	5	40	.....	2	2	1	159		650	.....	1406	78	.....	221	1705	77.50	
11 Peterborough, St. Paul's	Alfred T. Barr, B.D., Ph.D.	540 Water St.	Wm. S. Hill	472 Monaghan Rd.	..	4	28	1	..	6	39	.....	.....	.....	3	49	M	568	.....	719	12	50	187	968	4.00	9
12 Port Hope, St. Paul's	John W. Foote, B.A., B.D.	Port Hope	James Thompson	Port Hope	3	4	28	1	..	6	39	.....	.....	.....	3	49	M	568	.....	719	12	50	187	968	4.00	9
13 Warkworth, St. Andrew's	Gordon R. Duncan	Warkworth	Robert Walker	Warkworth	..	6	28	.....	.....	7	30	.....	.....	.....	2	81	.....	509	600	1012	157	10	193	1372	157.43	
Mission Fields					3	4	28	1	..	6	39	.....	.....	.....	3	49	M	568	.....	719	12	50	187	968	4.00	9
1 Hall's Bridge	Student Supply		Thomas S. Wood	Hall's Bridge	..	6	28	.....	.....	7	30	.....	.....	.....	2	81	.....	509	600	1012	157	10	193	1372	157.43	
Lakehurst					..	4	15	.....	.....	8	90	.....	.....	.....	.....	43	.....	320	.....	299	25	10	56	390	25.00	
Rockcroft					3	4	15	.....	.....	8	90	.....	.....	.....	4	54	.....	500	1900	824	45	.....	21	890	45.20	10
†Presbytery of Peterborough					3	2	28	6	1	7	30	1	4	.....	4	54	.....	500	1900	824	45	.....	21	890	45.20	10
Others on Roll					..	3	13	1	..	5	50	.....	.....	.....	2	27	.....	300	.....	579	11	77	33	700	11.15	
1	Donald A. McKenzie, B.A.	South Monaghan, Ont.			..	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	27	.....	400	.....	439	12	128	.....	579	12.50	
					3	2	28	6	1	7	30	1	4	.....	4	54	.....	500	1900	824	45	.....	21	890	45.20	10
					1	27	500	29	1	40	360	30	15	10	40	1031	M	3600	6000	12301	3082	245	1669	17297	2839.25	11
					1	12	115	11	..	26	265	12	2	4	10	250	R H	1800	.....	3696	662	50	260	4668	662.39	12
					1	12	115	11	..	26	265	12	2	4	10	250	R H	1800	.....	2921	218	14	181	3334	217.95	13
					1	5	58	9	1	11	67	9	.....	2	3	115	M	1800	.....	2921	218	14	181	3334	217.95	13
					3	4	9	.....	.....	8	46	.....	.....	.....	3	24	.....	356	.....	380	.....	.....	16	396	16.00	1
					..	2	10	.....	.....	5	54	3	1	.....	.....	12	.....	18	.....	45	.....	.....	.....	45	.....	
					3	4	9	.....	.....	8	46	.....	.....	.....	3	24	.....	356	.....	380	.....	.....	16	396	16.00	1
					..	2	10	.....	.....	5	54	3	1	.....	.....	12	.....	18	.....	45	.....	.....	.....	45	.....	
					..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.70	
					..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Appendix to Roll				
1		W. G. Davis, B.A.	Taonan, Manchuria, Via Japan		
2		W. G. Blake	Bowmanville, Ont.		
3		S. D. Jamieson	Brighton, Ont.		
4		J. A. Sutherland, M.A.	North Bay, Ont.		
5		Hugh Brown	Havelock, Ont		
6		H. R. Campbell, Ph.D.	Bowmanville, Ont.		
					Grand Total, 1938
					Grand Total, 1937
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	7	Total on Roll	9
In Augmented Charges	1	Ministers on Appendix	6
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	15

Warkworth, Ont., March 21, 1939.

†Reported by Treasurer.

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

1	Beaverton	Graham M. Jamieson, B.A.	Beaverton	William Bursby	Beaverton																						
	Gamebridge, Knox			Peter Gilchrist	R.R., Brechin																						
2	Bobcaygeon, Knox	Wm. McRoberts, B.A., M.Th.	Bobcaygeon	W. C. Moore	Bobcaygeon																						
3	Cannington	Stated Supply		S. J. Kennedy	R.R. 2, Cannington																						
4	Fenelon Falls, St. Andrew's	Vacant		Wm. Hetherington	R.R., Fenelon Falls																						
	Glenarm, Knox			D. J. McMillan	R.R. 1, Lorneville																						
	Rosedale	Supplied from Glenarm		No Session																							
5	Kirkfield	Vacant		Alex. McCrae	Kirkfield																						
	Bolsover			H. L. McPherson	Argyle																						
	Eldon Station			Lawrence McFadyen	R.R. 1, Lorneville																						
6	Leaskdale, St. Paul's	J. C. Robinson	Leaskdale	Elmer Mustard	R.R. 2, Uxbridge																						
	Zephyr			John Lawrie	R.R. 2, Uxbridge																						
7	Lindsay, St. Andrew's	Donald McQueen	42 Victoria Ave. N., Lindsay.	G. H. Wilson	R.R. 3, Lindsay																						
8	Port Perry, St. John's	R. Simpson (S.S.)	Brooklin	W. Short	Port Perry																						
	Ashburn, Burns			W. E. Kerr	Myrtle Station																						
	Utica, Breadalbane			No Session																							
9	Sonya, St. Andrew's	John Kennedy	Sonya	Ernest Ferguson	Cresswell																						
	Wick			Jas. J. Leask	Blackwater																						
	Cresswell			Hugh Grant	Cresswell																						
10	Uxbridge, Chalmers	P. Thornton Meek, B.A.	99 Toronto St., Uxbridge.	T. C. Leask	Uxbridge																						
	Quaker Hill, St. Andrew's			Stuart Ball	R.R., Uxbridge																						
11	Woodville, Knox	Ewart W. B. MacKay, B.A.	Woodville	John McPherson	Woodville																						
	Eldon, St. Andrew's			John Sutherland	Argyle																						
	Others on Roll																										
1		Robert Simpson	Brooklin, Ont.																								
	Appendix to Roll																										
1		T. Clifford Hay, B.A., B.Th.	Glenarm, Ont.																								
					Grand Total, 1938																						
					Grand Total, 1937																						
					Increase																						
					Decrease																						

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	5	Total on Roll	8
In Augmented Charges	2	Ministers on Appendix	1
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	9

Brooklin, Ont., March 28, 1939.

14. PRESBYTERY OF PETERBOROUGH—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
																					1
																					2
																					3
																					4
																					5
																					6
28	152	1731	111	5	243	1904	118	74	50	198	3566	11	23199	20700	50384	5513	1124	4337	61358	5224.81	
28	141	1805	98	7	236	1835	119	90	77	124	3665	11	23335	20950	89484	5516	496	4679	100175	5490.89	
..	11	..	13	..	7	69	..	..	..	74	..	..	..	..	..	..	628	..	..	..	
..	..	74	..	2	..	..	1	16	27	..	99	..	136	250	39100	3	..	342	38817	266.08	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	10	Number of Mission Fields	1
" Congregations in them	19	" Preaching Stations in them	3
" Augmented Charges	3	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	14
" Congregations in them	6	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	28

GORDON R. DUNCAN, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

15. PRESBYTERY OF LINDSAY

2	10	100	8	..	9	90	5	3	2	3	171	M	1200	8000	3034	193	.....	81	3308	193.94	1
..	4	50	.....		5	35	2	.....	.....	.....	65	M	600	.....	1236	99	.....	66	1401	99.25	
1	8	52	3	1	11	58	8	7	3	6	100	M	1400	750	2544	250	39	116	2949	250.00	2
1	6	49	.....		4	44	3	3	.....	5	124	M	884	.....	1732	124	.....	135	2045	122.92	3
3	3	40	3	..	5	25	.....	.....	.....	1	85	M	1400	.....	1703	110	21	207	2042	110.14	4
..	3	39	.....		4	25	1	.....	.....	3	109	M	858	200	1504	41	.....	61	1606	42.75	
..	.....	.....	.....		2	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	61	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	61	.....	
3	4	60	3	5	5	34	8	1	.....	14	77	M	575	226	1239	6	.....	60	1305	5.90	5
..	5	48	5	1	3	38	.....	.....	.....	35	90	.....	575	.....	967	33	.....	92	1126	40.51	
..	4	42	4	.....	.....	.....	7	1	.....	69	47	.....	450	.....	450	.....	.....	45	495	.....	
2	6	55	1	2	8	80	3	.....	.....	13	98	M	1004	.....	1169	116	5	89	1379	121.00	6
..	3	19	.....		4	10	.....	.....	.....	2	30	.....	101	.....	185	10	35	28	259	9.42	
1	12	270	13	..	39	316	12	8	10	10	520	M	2000	.....	4067	435	433	250	4985	501.35	7
3	3	45	.....		7	35	.....	2	2	5	77	M	520	.....	1296	35	.....	96	1427	30.25	8
..	5	26	.....		8	45	.....	.....	.....	.....	65	.....	520	.....	1072	38	25	75	1210	25.41	
..	1	10	.....		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	80	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	100	15.00	
3	4	30	2	..	7	35	.....	2	.....	4	88	M	625	300	824	7	.....	35	820	2.40	9
..	3	25	.....		7	25	.....	1	.....	.....	72	.....	575	.....	798	17	.....	98	913	17.45	
..	2	18	.....		4	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	31	.....	300	.....	494	13	.....	35	572	18.03	
2	8	74	3	..	12	140	5	2	4	17	220	M	.....	.....	4510	370	20	301	5401	390.31	10
..	4	29	2	..	12	60	3	.....	.....	3	46	.....	550	.....	994	109	20	88	1329	108.15	
2	5	66	2	..	6	70	4	.....	.....	2	174	M	1300	.....	2015	170	18	253	2457	151.90	11
..	6	39	2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	3	101	M	400	.....	902	20	22	109	1055	24.65	
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
23	109	1186	51	9	162	1197	63	30	21	195	2400	14	15978	9476	32835	2296	638	2320	38245	2280.73	
22	107	1237	70	10	163	1204	45	26	41	151	2602	16	16725	8515	34979	2511	377	2597	41304	2536.70	
1	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	4	.....	44	.....	.....	.....	961	.....	.....	261	.....	.....	.....	
.....	.....	51	19	1	1	7	.....	.....	20	.....	202	2	747	.....	2144	215	.....	277	3059	255.97	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	8	Number of Mission Fields	..
" Congregations in them	19	" Preaching Stations in them	..
" Augmented Charges	3	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	11
" Congregations in them	4	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	23

ROBERT SIMPSON, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Bolton	J. C. Ross	Bolton	J. A. Harper	R.R. 2, Bolton
	Nashville			Rev. J. C. Ross	Bolton
2	Brampton	A. N. Miller, B.A., B.D.	48 Church St., Brampton.	D. J. McClure	R.R., Brampton
3	Boston	B. F. Andrew	R.R. 5, Milton	Thomas Mickle	R.R. 5, Milton
	Omagh			David Douglas	R.R. 4, Milton
4	Georgetown, Knox	D. D. Davidson, M.A.	Georgetown	Hugh Black	Milton
	Limehouse			John Newton	Limehouse
5	Markham	W. H. Fuller, B.A., B.Th.	Markham	George Cowie	R.R. 1, Milliken
	Stouffville			James Rennie	R.R. 1, Stouffville
6	Milton, Knox	John Riddell	Milton	R. H. Ptolemy	Milton
7	Newmarket, St. Andrew's	D. McIntyre, Ph.D.	Newmarket	A. Mair	Newmarket
8	Norval	Arthur Leggett	Norval	S. D. McClure	R.R. 2, Brampton
	Union			A. Macdonald	Terra Cotta
9	Oakville, Knox	C. K. Nicoll	17 Palmer Ave., Oakville.	J. H. Hodge	Division St., Oakville.
10	Oshawa, Knox	W. H. Reid, M.A.	337 Simcoe St. N., Oshawa.	James Cormack	91 Elgin St. W., Oshawa.
11	Port Credit, St. Andrew's	Vacant		John M. Gray	Port Credit
12	Richmond Hill	J. D. Cunningham, B.D.	Richmond Hill	J. E. Monkman	Richmond Hill
	Thornhill			George Cooper	Willowdale
	Scarboro:—				
13	Melville, West Hill	Murdo McInnis	West Hill	William Little	Agincourt
14	St. Andrew's	A. L. Burch, D.D.	R.R. 1, Scarboro Jct.	John Walton	R.R. 1, Scarboro Jct.
15	Streetsville	R. H. M. Kerr, B.A.	Streetsville	John H. Wylie	Streetsville
	Sixteen, Knox			Rev. R. H. M. Kerr	Streetsville
16	Vaughan, St. Paul's	C. H. Bowman, B.A.	Maple	George Matheson	Maple
	Maple, St. Andrew's			" "	
17	Whitby, St. Andrew's	Harvey Carmichael, M.A., Ph.D	Whitby	W. A. Thomson	Whitby
	Pickering, St. Andrew's			J. G. Baxter	Pickering
	Toronto City:—				
18	Avenue Road	A. R. Skinner, B.A.	53 Avenue Rd.	Rev. A. R. Skinner	53 Avenue Rd
19	Beaches	J. R. Sanderson, B.D.	166 Hammersmith Ave	J. S. White	25 Hazel Ave
20	Bonar	G. C. Lamont, B.A.	351 Lansdowne Ave.	Angus L. McLeod	326 Brock Ave
21	Calvin	Joseph Wasson	22 Delisle Ave	John Wilson	46 Westmount Ave
22	Chalmers	G. D. Little	166 Westminster Ave.	W. Dawson	369 Dovercourt Rd.
23	Cooke's	William Thomas, M.A.	179 Wanless Ave	John Hammond	29 Sanford Ave
24	Dale	Stated Supply		Samuel McAllister	445 Millwood Rd.
25	Davenport Road	J. A. Hilts	1183 Davenport Rd.	J. W. McGowan	316 Rushton Rd.
26	Dovercourt Road	William Allan	678 Bloor St. E.	W. F. B. Bagsley	139 Salem Ave
27	Dufferin Street	J. B. Thomson	230 Rusholme Rd.	A. N. Tomlinson	264 Havelock St.
28	Emmanuel	S. H. Hill, B.D.	30 Benlamond Ave.	D. Cameron	11 Benlamond Ave.
29	Glebe	W. T. McCree, M.A.	116 Belsize Dr.	R. M. Sedgewick	12 Oswald Cres.
30	Glenview	J. S. Glen, M.A., Ph.D.	117 Cranbrooke Ave.	Wm. Collier	54 Broadway Ave.
31	High Park	John V. Mills, B.Th.	566 Indian Rd.	W. J. Forrester	Long Branch, Ont.
32	Knox	J. G. Inkster, D.D.	407 Brunswick Ave.	George H. Anderson	17 Strathearn Blvd.
33	Parkdale	F. G. Vesey	250 Dunn Ave.	George Rait	51 Edna Ave
34	Patterson Memorial	N. Stevenson	363 Armadale Ave.	John Macdonald	1059A St. Clair Ave. W.
35	Queen Street East	Samuel Johnston, B.A.	21 Nealon Ave.	H. J. N. Williams	31 Firstbrooke Rd.
36	Riverdale	A. G. Macpherson, B.D.	54 Playter Blvd.	Roy Davenport	54 Fulton Ave
37	Rogers Memorial	T. J. Watson, B.A., B.D.	25 Oakdene Cres.	G. L. Minty	687 Milberton Blvd.
38	Rosedale	J. B. Paulin, D.D.	67 South Drive	W. M. Douglas	64 South Drive
39	Royce Avenue	R. H. Lyttle, B.D.	390 Perth Ave	J. M. Tomlinson	56 Laughton Ave
40	Runnymede	A. B. Ransom, B.A., B.D.	26 Raymond Ave.	A. M. Reid	90 Jackson Ave
41	St. Andrew's	S. C. Parker, D.D.	42 Admiral Rd.	A. W. R. Adair	76 Dewson St.
42	St. John's	R. G. Stewart, D.D.	32 Bayfield Cres.	H. A. Miller	4 Aberdeen Apts., Bain Ave.
43	St. Paul's	R. C. McDermid	154 Spadina Rd.	S. Donnan	275 Windermere Ave.
44	Victoria	J. Y. Fraser	154 Annette St. 4 Baby Point Rd.	D. D. Macdonald, D.Psd.	411 Annette St.
45	Wychwood	A. G. Rintoul, B.A.	73 Oakwood Ave	T. F. Heacock	162 Glenholme Ave.
46	Melrose Park	Stated Supply (Organized 1939)		Joseph A. Troyer	127 Old Orchard Grove

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													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
2	4	62	3	1	5	65	8	3	2	2	132	M	1080		1992	100	164	208	2464	105.66	1
..	2	32	2	..	5	49	3	..	2	2	64	..	720		1112	118	..	240	1470	145.60	
1	18	250	9	..	17	166	3	8	2	121	461	M	1566		6200	1155	..	495	7850	1151.70	2
2	5	55	..	..	6	70	17	..	..	3	122	M	1248		1830	36	..	64	3178	35.94	3
..	4	45	1	..	8	64	8	2	1	1	113	..	900		1078	58	5	104	1873	57.55	
2	6	109	4	10	12	99	12	4	4	10	246	M	1290		4103	460	..	227	4790	460.51	4
..	6	21	1	..	4	26	..	..	..	..	46	..	510		689	21	..	63	773	21.20	
2	8	97	4	1	8	46	6	3	2	15	126	R H	1200		2252	187	..	120	2559	173.53	5
..	3	..	1	..	1	9	..	..	..	1	53	..	600		689	23	..	54	766	22.50	
1	11	132	2	..	17	121	5	3	2	18	340	M	1800	2300	4321	358	209	255	4984	368.09	6
1	4	103	7	..	18	135	1	..	2	..	264	M	1800	850	2500	179	..	160	2850	153.93	7
2	5	50	3	..	7	60	..	4	3	1	136	M	692		2186	104	..	202	2492	103.40	8
..	4	28	..	..	6	30	..	..	3	3	79	..	645		1445	68	..	209	1723	81.27	
1	12	145	16	1	18	147	..	2	5	6	324	R H	2000	11890	6629	316	50	230	7226	343.50	9
1	6	200	7	..	21	162	4	31	5	1	251	..	1515	11250	4553	270	..	100	4923	280.33	10
1	8	110	20	2	14	158	10	2	3	2	236	M	2200		4920	740	72	527	6259	572.91	11
2	6	48	3	..	11	77	5	2	2	1	123	M	933		2109	54	22	108	2293	54.33	12
..	4	14	5	..	10	65	3	2	..	..	46	M	768		1229	88	25	100	1442	89.12	
1	4	80	5	..	10	70	2	3	..	2	198	M	1800		2503	200	94	367	3281	170.00	13
1	7	39	1	..	12	60	3	..	3	1	125	M	950		1610	442	55	558	2665	467.19	14
2	7	56	2	..	13	62	..	3	2	12	125	M	1375		2313	160	33	136	2642	159.25	15
..	3	27	1	..	6	35	1	..	..	15	61	..	624		730	34	10	..	774	27.83	
2	5	35	..	..	9	32	3	..	..	..	78	M	825		1111	91	..	146	1348	90.50	16
..	3	43	..	..	8	30	..	..	..	1	91	..	975		1249	109	18	156	1532	108.75	
2	7	78	4	1	12	92	5	..	3	2	136	M	1800	1500	3981	81	..	119	3981	96.00	17
..	3	40	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	58	..	500		696	51	..	80	827	57.22	
1	5	60	1	2	7	62	2	5	9	1	130	M	2000	26765	4659	200	26	374	5240	200.00	18
1	18	223	9	1	28	273	23	28	9	9	518	..	3000	16200	7336	891	381	329	8937	854.23	19
1	9	325	10	1	44	384	9	10	8	3	616	M	2500	9500	6039	869	..	150	7058	643.54	20
1	24	370	6	..	24	280	4	27	10	9	938	M	3600	84500	20319	3306	168	2531	26324	3305.31	21
1	35	235	12	5	70	579	12	21	47	43	687	..	..	4062	6783	1686	..	831	11481	1660.82	22
1	49	350	27	..	45	452	30	30	24	66	1115	..	..	..	14000	1960	162	1287	20000	2083.30	23
1	3	..	17	2	12	120	6	..	4	..	175	..	1450	10000	3347	63	..	156	3567	20.00	24
1	18	345	10	2	47	519	29	42	10	35	678	..	2500	27735	..	857	290	289	8878	813.26	25
1	14	560	14	..	45	496	60	26	68	56	819	..	3400	17489	8326	1491	1573	864	13496	1664.83	26
1	18	275	8	..	33	375	26	5	11	5	444	..	3000	3600	6515	410	..	188	7113	374.78	27
1	12	140	7	..	23	200	13	15	5	1	397	M	1720	7700	5535	355	121	204	6215	370.50	28
1	10	150	5	..	30	267	2	14	12	16	358	..	2500	8500	5213	529	..	523	6266	529.28	29
1	29	..	10	1	27	359	16	39	27	26	865	..	..	38000	13907	1582	..	1112	20016	1536.31	30
1	10	240	..	..	27	178	7	40	21	58	429	..	2500	42000	10250	480	..	35	10765	440.59	31
1	34	923	25	4	44	317	44	72	36	62	1861	M	..	..	13450	8240	4550	2698	28635	15254.25	32
1	38	520	17	1	30	517	39	47	32	74	1150	..	5000	..	14170	3330	500	1500	19500	3051.89	33
1	18	203	6	..	42	350	6	10	8	14	446	..	..	13500	5287	257	..	235	5779	262.35	34
1	10	300	..	..	25	300	..	..	..	..	*588	..	..	19500	5877	562	..	..	..	497.70	35
1	40	575	34	4	135	1425	72	36	34	468	1500	..	3700	75000	18210	1800	258	596	20864	1798.47	36
1	26	380	12	1	30	780	13	24	31	16	738	..	3000	38800	11491	844	216	178	12729	843.45	37
1	7	103	4	..	4	..	2	15	5	5	173	..	4500	12500	10100	1774	1586	906	14366	1706.90	38
1	10	190	9	4	47	391	12	10	18	13	384	M	2000	22500	7386	706	239	314	8645	706.00	39
1	17	292	18	..	58	420	34	24	5	12	566	..	2600	..	6724	734	146	395	7999	733.60	40
1	23	*490	11	1	39	365	13	21	27	11	1242	M	8000	..	29231	6069	1700	3366	40856	6330.13	41
1	24	400	12	..	75	800	21	25	24	16	711	..	4000	15000	13967	3500	1012	800	19280	3500.00	42
1	24	395	3	..	49	426	22	22	27	23	664	..	3240	22750	7267	1957	202	687	13380	1933.20	43
1	25	425	10	5	85	735	30	45	7	88	1018	..	3240	32500	15267	3010	455	1113	20000	3010.00	44
1	11	260	5	1	25	240	37	44	6	29	472	..	2625	30000	9864	1146	82	202	11294	1225.94	45
1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	46

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Toronto Suburbs:—				
47	Mimico	John Galloway	27 Hillside Ave., Mimico. Toronto 14	C. Andrews	R.R. 1, Etobicoke
	Islington			Col. J. E. L. Streight, M.P.	72 Canning Ave., Islington.
48	Morningside	Edgar Foreman, B.A.	2 Ellis Park Rd., Toronto 3.	James Wilson	284 Ellis Ave., Toronto 3.
49	Oakwood	D. C. Smith, B.A., B.D.	384 Oakwood Ave.	Wm. Milligan	137 Glenholme Ave.
50	Weston	R. C. Creelman, B.A.	13 Fern Ave., Weston	A. Cameron	104 William St., Weston
51	Westminster	Stated Supply		John Reid	912 Carlaw Ave.
52	York	D. P. Rowland	1367 Lansdowne Ave.	T. A. Coxhead	113 Ewart Ave.
	Mission Fields				
1	Aurora	Supply		Wm. Watson	Aurora
2	Agincourt, Knox	A. C. Jamieson, B.A. (O.M.)	Agincourt	Herbert Kennedy	Agincourt
3	Evangel Hall	R. J. Koffend (O.M.)	573 Queen St. W.		
4	Eversley	M. E. Burch, B.A. (O.M.)	King City	Rev. M. E. Burch	King City
	Strange				
	Tenth Line King				
	West King				
5	Fairbank	John Kelman (O.M.)	36 Fairbank Ave., Toronto 10	Wm. Greig	136 Alameda Ave.
6	Hornby	Care of Milton		Lester Brown	Norval
7	Long Branch, Dunn Memorial	J. K. Ross Thomson, B.A. (O.M.)	The Manse, First Line, Dixie, Ont.		
	Dixie			R. E. Malpass	Cooksville
8	Mount Dennis	Student Supply		John Milne	1293 Jane St., Mount Dennis.
9	St. James, Toronto	Stated Supply		W. R. Woods	4 Donora St., Toronto 13.
10	Scott Institute	M. Zeidman, B.D. (O.M.)	307 Palmerston Ave.		
11	Sutton	Stated Supply		Donald MacDonald	Sutton West
	Mount Pleasant			Robert Stiles	R.R., Sutton West
12	Toronto, St. Matthew's	Stated Supply		J. A. Fleming	69 Redwood Ave.
13	Willowdale	Student Supply		J. D. Berry, M.D.	25 Parkview Blvd., Willowdale.
14	Woodbridge	J. S. Roe, B.A. (O.M.)	Woodbridge	John Ellerby	Woodbridge
	Vaughan, Knox			C. Cameron	R.R. 1, Nashville
	Non-Anglo-Saxon				
15	Ukrainian, Oshawa	Luke Standret	573 Oxford St.	Rev. Luke Standret	573 Oxford St.
16	Ukrainian, Toronto	M. Fesenko, Th.B.	306 Winona Dr.	Rev. M. Fesenko	306 Winona Dr.
17	Chinese, Toronto	Ma T. K. Wou	511 University Ave.	L. K. Lew	474 University Ave.
18	Hungarian, Toronto	Charles Steinmetz	188 Bedford Rd.	Albert Lucas	218 Manning Ave.
	**Presbytery of Toronto				
	Others on Roll				
1		J. W. MacNamara, D.D.	100 Adelaide St. W., Toronto		
2		Thomas Eakin, D.D.	59 St. George St., Toronto		
3		John D. Cunningham, D.D.	59 St. George St., Toronto		
4		W. W. Bryden, D.D.	59 St. George St., Toronto		
5		W. M. Kannawin, D.D.	100 Adelaide St. W., Toronto		
6		W. M. Rochester, D.D.	100 Adelaide St. W., Toronto		
7		John Lindsay	Whitby, Ont.		
8		John A. Mustard, B.A.	265 Havelock St., Toronto		
9		James Wilson, D.D.	34 Northcliffe Blvd., Toronto		

16. PRESBYTERY OF TORONTO—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
2	5	70	4	..	12	105	6	4	7	....	152	R H	1170	5638	2143	45	.....	.....	2188	44.95	47
..	4	45	5	..	17	126	....	5	....	6	68	....	650	2700	1318	76	.....	5	1399	78.04	
1	17	275	20	..	34	283	13	28	7	8	379	M	2000	29890	6655	745	315	236	7715	730.00	48
1	10	142	10	1	31	325	9	32	7	28	286	R H	2108	23400	5560	273	21	100	5954	305.00	49
1	6	100	3	..	13	105	....	6	4	20	203	....	2250	1500	3260	263	.....	170	3693	267.17	50
1	9	169	15	1	25	353	25	21	14	4	313	....	1650	5450	.....	266	57	86	4872	300.00	51
1	13	196	26	..	25	240	44	18	3	1	337	R H	1800	3500	4459	260	258	41	5018	259.60	52
1	5	87	....	..	7	50	.....	.....	.....	2	117	M	800	1900	1568	15	165	169	1917	14.80	1
1	6	53	3	..	7	75	1	7	3	....	126	....	1200	.....	1902	276	33	524	2735	274.35	2
1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	652	247	128	12	.....	263.66	3
4	2	22	.....	.....	6	32	2	3	.....	.....	39	M	457	.....	600	40	.....	112	762	40.75	4
..	2	17	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	48	....	457	.....	546	10	.....	25	581	10.00	
..	2	17	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	34	....	228	.....	180	.....	.....	50	230	.....	
..	1	14	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	34	....	227	.....	234	.....	.....	.....	234	.....	
1	4	84	5	..	22	206	4	5	7	3	196	R H	1200	11300	2669	108	33	39	2849	110.27	5
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1	2	14	1	..	.....	.....	1	1	....	....	41	....	400	.....	416	20	.....	.....	436	11.35	7
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..	4	28	.....	..	9	40	1	7	.....	.....	80	....	500	3000	1130	13	3	5	1151	16.35	
1	6	40	2	..	10	55	5	3	4	32	109	....	200	4800	1017	75	100	60	1252	76.78	8
1	4	65	14	..	18	153	4	.....	.....	3	218	R H	1232	15600	3482	15	11	.....	3508	15.10	9
													†2340							10.53	10
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2	3	30	2	..	6	36	3	4	.....	.....	67	....	541	2100	936	18	15	73	942	.....	
..	2	14	.....	..	4	35	2	.....	.....	.....	20	....	209	.....	340	.....	.....	.....	395	.....	
1	8	79	7	..	13	135	14	9	.....	.....	142	....	625	.....	1947	60	9	35	2051	60.12	12
1	5	34	3	..	16	120	1	2	1	6	90	....	900	7215	1518	29	295	82	1924	9.88	13
2	7	57	4	..	12	70	2	2	5	4	164	M	1200	.....	2039	269	75	245	2628	268.50	14
..	3	13	....	..	6	39	....	....	1	1	44	....	400	.....	1053	63	11	145	1272	65.75	
1	3	65	6	..	3	54	.....	.....	.....	.....	78	R H	†1640	.....	820	30	40	.....	890	31.50	15
1	1	65	....	..	5	107	16	....	2	12	97	....	†1740	.....	180	8	.....	.....	188	8.00	16
1	4	.....	1	..	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	....	†1840	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29.00	17
1	9	57	9	..	6	66	10	1	12	9	95	....	†1740	6000	2710	40	.....	.....	2750	38.19	18
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SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Appendix to Roll				
	I. Foreign Missionaries				
1		James Dickson	Tansui, Formosa, Japan		
2		A. A. Lowther, M.A., B.D.	1 Fenwick Ave., Toronto, Ont.		
3		E. H. Johnston, B.Sc.	Szepingkai, Manchuria	via Japan	
	Others				
4		H. E. Abraham, B.A., D.D.	207 Rosemary Rd.	Forest Hill Village	
5		W. Hardy Andrews, M.A., D.D	69 Astley Ave.	Toronto.	
6		George Atkinson	105 Kennedy Ave.	Toronto.	
7		A. V. Brown, M.A., Ph.D.	Hespeler, Ont.		
8		R. J. Berlis, B.A., B.D.	Church of St. Andrew	and St. Paul, Montreal	
9		George Cameron	31 Grosvenor St.	Toronto.	
10		M. C. Campbell, D.D.	21 Inglewood Dr.	Toronto.	
11		R. W. Collins	198 Sunnyside Ave.	Toronto.	
12		Peter W. Currie	617 Church St.	Toronto.	
13		P. Chinggerie-Crath	48 Peterborough Ave.	Toronto.	
14		R. E. G. Dennys, B.A.	198 Cottingham St.	Toronto.	
15		John Davey, B.D.	14 Tyndall Ave.	Toronto.	
16		George P. Duncan, D.D.	391 Berkley St.	Toronto.	
17		D. I. Ellison	508 Annette St.	Toronto.	
18		Alexander Forbes, M.A., D.D.	Apt. 35, 2 Glen Elm Ave.,	Toronto	
19		Andrew Hood	39 Main St.	Toronto.	
20		Frank C. Harper, B.A., B.D.	1630 Bathurst St.	Toronto.	
21		J. M. Jaffray	22 Earnbridge Ave.	Toronto.	
22		Peter Jamieson	Wilton, Ont.		
23		H. N. Konkle	236A Bain Ave.	Toronto.	
24		F. H. Larkin, B.A., D.D.	Penmarvian, Paris, Ont.		
25		Samuel Lawrence	R.R. 2, Whitby, Ont.		
26		Samuel Lundie	Port Credit, Ont.		
27		C. H. Lowry	221 Humbercrest Blvd	Toronto.	
28		N. A. MacEachern, M.A., D.D.	73 Simcoe St.	Toronto.	
29		Kenneth MacLennan	801 Pape Ave.	Toronto.	
30		Walter McCleary, B.A.	16 College St.	Toronto.	
31		K. R. MacFadyen, B.D.	Ford Hotel	Toronto.	
32		George J. Mackay, M.A.	15 Victoria Ave.	Mimico, Toronto 14.	
33		John McNicol, B.A., B.D., D.D	16 Spadina Rd.	Toronto.	
34		Ewen Macdonald	210A Riverside Dr.	Toronto.	
35		John MacKenzie, M.A., B.D.	R.R., Hespeler, Ont.		
36		George B. McLeod, M.A.	45 Atlas Ave.	Toronto.	
37		John McNab, M.A., B.D.	Ancaster, Ont.		
38		David Marshall	c/o Church Offices,	Toronto, Ont.	
39		G. Milligan, M.A.	204 Jarvis St.	Toronto.	
40		E. L. Morrow, M.A., B.D., Ph.D	31 Foxbar Rd.	Toronto.	
41		A. Mullin	31 Woodlawn Ave.	Toronto.	
42		C. B. Pitcher	43 Dunn Ave.	Toronto.	
43		J. P. Rice, Phm.B.	Penmarvian, Paris, Ont.		
44		P. F. Sinclair, B.A.	867 Bathurst St.	Toronto.	
45		R. B. Stevenson, M.A.	2074 Gerrard St.	Toronto.	
46		Peter Taylor, B.A.	293 Bay St.,	Toronto, Ont.	
47		Gordon R. Taylor, M.A.	Carleton Place, Ont.		
48		John Taylor, Ph.D.	28 Lauder Ave.	Toronto.	
49		Harry Walker	139 Dunn Ave.	Toronto.	
50		A. B. Winchester, D.D.	89 Delaware Ave.	Toronto.	
	Clerk of Presbytery	J. B. Skene, B.A., c/o Knox Church		Toronto	

Grand Total, 1938
Grand Total, 1937
Increase
Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 46
In Augmented Charges 1
In Ordained Mission Fields 11

Others on Roll 9
Total on Roll 67
Ministers on Appendix 51
Grand Total of Ministers 118

Toronto, May 10, 1939.

**Reported by Treasurer.

16. PRESBYTERY OF TORONTO—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938 $ c	Number
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85	844	12534	593	57	1737	17072	899	793	553	1353	28086	37	125800	742787	394800	60745	18394	30113	501357	63557.36	
1	23							134	95	168					3443				13825	540.72	
		79	44	2	19	722	53				758	3	1205	9403		3110	2401	1008			

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 48
" Congregations in them 57
" Augmented Charges 4
" Congregations in them 5

Number of Mission Fields 18
" Preaching Stations in them 24
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 70
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations . 86

*Last year's figures. †Salary paid by Board of Missions; also R.H. ‡Salary.

J. B. SKENE, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Caledon East, Knox	Geo. Aitken, B.A., Th.D.	Caledon East	R. J. Innis	Mono Road
	Caledon, St. Andrew's			Alex. McBride	R.R. 1, Caledon East
	Claude			John McEachern	Inglewood
2	Dundalk, Erskine	Wm. Mackintosh, B.D.	Dundalk	Herman Johnston	Dundalk
	Ventry, Knox			C. A. Johnston	R.R. 2, Dundalk
3	Erin, Burns	P. W. Murray	Erin	James Binnie	Erin
	Ospringe, Knox			John L. Allan	R.R. 3, Acton
4	Grand Valley, Knox	C. Graham Jones, B.A., B.D.	Grand Valley	Walter Richardson	R.R. 1, Grand Valley
	South Luther, Ebenezer			Henry Newson	R.R. 3, Grand Valley
5	Hillsburg, St. Andrew's	T. W. Goodwill, B.A.	Hillsburg	Chas. W. MacMurchy	Hillsburg
	Price's Corners, Bethel			James H. Hall	Grand Valley
6	Horning's Mills	A. H. Barker (Supply)	Horning's Mills	R. B. Polley	Horning's Mills
7	Orangeville	H. Lindsay Simpson	Orangeville	Rev. T. O. Miller	Orangeville
	Waldemar			Wilfred Gamble	Waldemar
	Mission Fields				
1	Feversham	Student Supply		Chris. Thompson	Feversham
	Maple Valley			Jos. J. Sawdon	R.R. 4, Creemore
	Singhampton			Arch. Currie	Duntroon
2	Markdale, Cooke's	Jos. E. Taylor (O.M.)	Markdale	W. J. Messenger	Markdale
	Priceville			Rev. A. Sutherland	Priceville
	Swinton Park			John Aldcorn	R.R. 1, Proton
	Corbetton	Under care of Dundalk Session			
	Flesherton, Chalmers	No services held in 1938			
	Shelburne	Closed			
	Appendix to Roll				
1		Angus Sutherland, M.A.	Priceville, Ont.		
2		Albert H. Barker	Horning's Mills, Ont.		
3		T. O. Miller, B.A.	Orangeville, Ont.		
4		J. A. Grant	Alton, Ont.		
5		J. H. Woodside, LL.D.	Toronto, Ont.		
6	Foreign Missionary	F. C. Knox	Jobat, Central India	via Dohad	
					Grand Total, 1938
					Grand Total, 1937
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges ... 3
In Augmented Charges ... 3
In Ordained Mission Fields ... 1

Others on Roll ...
Total on Roll ... 7
Ministers on Appendix ... 6
Grand Total of Ministers ... 13

Orangeville, Ont., April 5, 1939.

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

1	Allandale	N. R. D. Sinclair, M.A., B.D.	William St., Barrie	W. G. Kennedy	R.R., Allandale
	Stroud			J. Cowan, Sr.	R.R., Thornton
2	Alliston	G. C. Little, B.A.	Alliston	D. McCracken	R.R., Alliston
	Mansfield			Paul Gallaugher	Mansfield
3	Bala	Vacant		John Burgess	Bala
	Port Carling			John Wallace	Port Carling
	Torrance				
4	Barrie	J. S. Shortt, M.A., D.D.	Barrie	Geo. C. Brown	Barrie
5	Bracebridge	P. W. MacInnes	Bracebridge	W. Lee	Bracebridge
6	Bradford	Student Supply		W. J. Faris	Bradford
	West Gwillimbury			W. G. Faris	Bradford
	St. John's			Alex. Roberts	Bradford
7	Collingwood	W. MacMillan, B.A., B.D., D.D.	Collingwood	J. R. Hewson	Collingwood
8	Cookstown	R. H. Armstrong, B.A., M.A.	Cookstown	Alex. McCullough	Cookstown
	First Essa			A. S. Reed	Thornton
	Angus			L. Davidson	Angus

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

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													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
3	6	39			10	57	3	1		2	100	M	600		1096	107		115	1318	89.49	1
	3	15	2		4	21	2				32		400		452			17	469		
	4	47	3		10	66	3				115		800		1349	225		156	1730	222.61	
2	3	35			9	65		2	6	2	99	M	665		1312	118	10	115	1555	115.14	2
	4	41	4		9	89	1		3		97		535		1168	84		96	1348	84.98	
2	7	65	1	2	4	56	4	3	1	8	139	M	633		1212	89		99	1400	94.92	3
	4	30	2						2	4	57		250		381	20			401	20.00	
2	7	108	8		10	70	8	5		4	201	M	1440	500	2678	163	7	145	2993	162.40	4
	2	21	2		5	65	1			1	40		360		564	48	6	32	650	44.49	
2	6	93	12	2	7	50	7	4	5	9	204	M	850		1720	163	285	234	2402	166.69	5
	6	50		1	4	50	1			1	121		750		1131	65	100	462	1758	64.50	
1	6	35	4		8	40					79	M	474		654	3		66	723	2.50	6
2	3	85			9	65				2	184	M	996	1200	1658	87	1	109	1855	86.85	7
	3	30			5	54					40		217		300	3		30	333	9.13	
3	3	9								5	17	M	361	250	418	22			440	24.55	1
	3	24			6	35	2		2	1	76		625		900	29		127	1056	28.30	
	3	10					3				30		208		208				208		
3	4	48			10	45		3		40	71	M	443	1200	1042	7	2		1051	58.17	2
	6	54			4	36	7	1		42	105	M	399	395	1542	40	54	58	1694	40.00	
	5	39	1		7	20				1	51		367		559	11		46	616	11.14	
		10			4	16															
	4	8							8	1	26					28				28.00	
	3	20								5	40										
																					1
																					2
																					3
																					4
																					5
																					6
20	95	916	39	5	125	900	42	19	27	128	1924	10	11373	3545	20344	1312	465	1907	24000	1353.86	
22	88	931	34	1	114	903	60	35	27	58	2018	10	11675	4275	20470	1521	473	1568	24032	1467.06	
	7		5	4	11					70								339			
2		15				3	18	16			94		302	730	126	209	8		32	113.20	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges ... 3
" Congregations in them ... 7
" Augmented Charges ... 3
" Congregations in them ... 6

Number of Mission Fields ... 3
" Preaching Stations in them ... 7
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields ... 9
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations ... 20

T. O. MILLER, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

18. PRESBYTERY OF BARRIE

2	8	85	3		11	119	12	4	2	1	219	M	1550		3496	227	6	171	3900	225.94	1
	3	20			9	46	1			1	61		400		538	56	11	85	690	56.00	
2	4	63	2		7	42	9	8	2	4	108	R H	900	385	1718	83		200	2001	78.70	2
	3	40	3		7	60					82		900		1127	22		78	1227	33.83	
3	4	20			5	38					44	R H	800	3000	1055	64	13	27	1159	65.36	3
	4	20			7	50	1			2	49		609		966	183		73	1222	191.50	
	4	20									12				91	20			111	20.16	
	1	8			6	40															
1	12	230	12	2	20	200	6	17	11	119	413	M	2500	3700	7852	1219	450	816	10337	1217.20	4
1	6	60	15	1	6	100	8	3		2	149	M	1800	164	2300	108	20	46	2474	108.00	5
1	6	60	15	1	6	100	8	3		2	87	M	340		817	13		72	902	36.79	6
3	4	40			8	50	4			1			338		353	22		108	483	52.24	
	3	24	2		4	25	4	5	1		50		260		299	30			329		
	3	22					9	3		2	42										
										4	505	M	1800	8500	5631	494	219	503	6847	534.75	7
1	12	200	8	4	20	275	8	7	4	8	49	M	366		674	18		76	768	18.65	8
3	2	23	2		5	22	1			2	43		287		479	3			482	3.20	
	3	15	3		5	25	6	6		4	21	M	350		365	9		57	431	9.00	
	1	13			4	32	1														

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
9	Creemore	E. C. Currie, B.D.	Creemore	Angus Gillespie	Creemore
	Dunedin			Angus Campbell	Glen Huron
	East Nottawasaga			Donald McQueen	R.R., Stayner
10	Duntroon	R. A. Birnie	Duntroon	R. J. Campbell	Duntroon
	West Nottawasaga			Hugh Gillies	Nottawa
	Nottawa			John Redpath	Nottawa
11	Elmvale	W. J. Mark, M.A., B.D., Th.D., D.D.	Elmvale	W. D. Cotton	Elmvale
	Flos, Knox			T. E. Smith	Elmvale
12	Guthrie	Robertson Millar	Oro Station	Norman Campbell	Shanty Bay
	Oro, Central			Wm. MacArthur	Oro Station
	St. Andrew's				
13	Hillsdale	J. M. Ritchie, M.A.	Hillsdale	W. P. Turner	R.R., Elmvale
	Moonstone			L. Dunlop	Moonstone
	Craighurst			J. C. Fraser	Shanty Bay
14	Midland	A. C. Stewart, M.A.	Midland	R. G. Nesbitt	Midland
15	Orillia	J. A. MacInnis, M.A., B.D.	Orillia	T. G. King	Orillia
16	Penetanguishene	A. J. Preston, B.A., B.Th.	Penetanguishene	J. M. H. McGuire	Penetanguishene
	Wyebridge				
17	Stayner	W. Coutts, B.A.	Stayner	John Risebrough	Stayner
	Sunnidale			H. J. Schell	Stayner
18	Thornbury	Vacant		T. G. Idle	Thornbury
	Meaford				
19	Tottenham	W. T. Cranston	Tottenham	Rev. W. T. Cranston	Tottenham
	Beeton				
	Schomberg				
20	Townline	E. C. Robertson	Thornton	Rev. E. C. Robertson	Thornton
	Ivy				
	Baxter				
21	Uptergrove	A. L. Howard, Ph.D.	Uptergrove	D. C. McKinnon	R.R. 2, Atherley
	Esson			T. H. McMahon	Hawkestone
	Willis			J. R. Cook	R.R. 4, Coldwater
22	Victoria Harbour	L. E. Gosselin	Victoria Harbour	Dr. D. W. MacKenzie	Victoria Harbour
	Port McNicoll			A. Davidson	Port McNicoll
	Coldwater			M. E. Walker	Coldwater
	Mission Fields				
1	Banks				
	Gibraltar				
	St. Andrew's				
2	Gravenhurst	Supplied from Bracebridge		R. McKay	Gravenhurst
3	Vankoughnet			W. N. Boyes	Vankoughnet
4	Everett				
5	Windermere				
6	Wyevale				
	Others on Roll				
1		N. Campbell, D.D.	Barrie		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		W. France	Box 37, Markham, Ont		
2		J. Lennox, D.D.	Allandale, Ont.		
3		Allan Reoch, B.A.	Szepingkai, Manchuria		

Grand Total, 1938
Grand Total, 1937
Increase
Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 15
In Augmented Charges 3
In Ordained Mission Fields 1

Others on Roll 1
Total on Roll 20
Ministers on Appendix 3
Grand Total of Ministers 23

Allandale, Ont., April 3, 1939.

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

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													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
3	5	42	2	..	8	35	....	2	1	f0	103	M	875	2500	1616	123	23	151	1913	129.59	9
..	4	32	8	1	10	60	3	8	....	3	66	....	425	.....	620	73	23	13	729	80.53	
..	3	20	2	..	....	....	2	....	....	....	47	....	....	.....	165	....	....	....	165	.....	
3	4	39	2	..	4	34	2	1	....	3	95	M	720	.....	949	53	25	78	1105	59.34	10
..	5	49	1	..	5	40	....	....	....	1	98	....	534	.....	750	19	.....	50	819	19.52	
..	4	12	....	..	....	....	....	....	2	1	36	....	300	.....	501	24	.....	25	550	24.00	
2	6	90	4	..	13	114	....	4	....	4	240	M	1200	.....	2256	145	189	160	2750	304.85	11
..	5	40	....	..	9	70	....	....	....	....	96	....	600	.....	1649	164	.....	.....	1813	10.00	
3	4	12	1	..	4	7	1	1	....	1	60	M	436	.....	540	32	6	58	636	37.35	12
..	4	30	....	..	4	25	5	....	....	2	70	....	644	525	982	36	10	72	1100	36.15	
..	....	18	....	2	3	15	3	....	....	....	27	....	148	.....	311	15	.....	.....	326	14.65	
3	5	50	1	..	8	80	1	....	....	4	93	M	987	.....	1096	169	.....	100	1365	169.08	13
..	3	23	1	..	....	....	2	....	....	....	22	....	307	.....	321	1	.....	.....	322	1.00	
..	2	24	6	..	6	24	....	2	....	....	35	....	265	.....	266	9	.....	.....	275	8.63	
1	17	325	9	6	42	450	35	30	8	7	617	M	2700	.....	6534	825	1372	785	9516	859.92	14
1	24	470	28	4	44	487	4	11	3	33	723	M	2700	8000	9506	2312	191	1259	13268	2311.69	15
2	3	40	1	..	5	53	....	....	....	5	62	M	960	.....	1477	136	.....	115	1728	64.50	16
..	2	26	....	..	....	....	2	3	....	....	29	....	350	.....	450	.....	14	61	525	.....	
2	9	92	4	..	14	120	5	7	12	6	229	M	1200	.....	3268	292	.....	252	3812	292.58	17
..	4	39	1	1	7	92	3	1	6	1	62	....	550	600	1176	100	.....	125	1401	99.14	
2	6	66	4	..	3	20	1	1	1	26	146	M	1060	.....	1840	22	.....	130	1992	21.80	18
..	3	52	9	1	6	63	22	5	....	2	100	....	600	.....	788	43	.....	78	909	44.03	
3	4	33	....	..	6	40	2	....	1	1	103	M	660	1000	860	219	15	161	1255	219.30	19
..	4	36	1	..	6	45	1	....	....	1	93	....	716	.....	924	15	15	102	1056	10.74	
..	3	20	....	..	6	30	....	1	....	....	40	....	400	.....	670	66	10	112	858	66.00	
3	2	21	....	..	6	20	....	....	....	2	50	M	400	.....	530	5	.....	.....	535	5.00	20
..	3	30	....	..	13	49	2	....	....	....	86	....	593	.....	1022	19	.....	100	1141	21.45	
..	3	37	....	..	8	64	....	....	....	3	62	....	523	.....	736	24	193	.....	953	28.49	
3	4	25	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	6	32	M	455	.....	655	16	.....	.....	671	16.00	21
..	4	30	1	..	6	40	1	....	....	2	66	....	500	.....	822	35	.....	76	933	35.15	
..	4	35	....	..	3	35	....	....	1	7	62	M	500	.....	643	5	.....	50	698	5.00	
3	3	37	....	..	3	25	3	....	....	....	137	M	800	.....	1183	152	.....	100	1435	173.60	22
..	4	36	1	..	10	52	2	....	3	....	69	....	825	.....	1127	52	.....	85	1264	52.56	
..	4	28	3	..	11	55	8	....	....	....	57	....	600	.....	922	47	.....	85	1054	61.30	
3	3	20	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	21	....	177	.....	187	.....	.....	169	356	1.25	1
..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	.....	.....	....	.....	
1	4	17	4	..	1	12	1	2	2	13	28	....	230	550	402	21	10	36	469	21.20	2
1	2	14	3	..	....	....	1	2	....	4	35	....	117	.....	119	37	.....	2	158	36.80	3
1	1	8	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	2	18	....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	4
..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	5
..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	6
..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	1
..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	1
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..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	3
56	247	2901	147	22	398	3380	182	132	62	300	5949	24	38257	28924	75624	7867	2815	6902	93218	7993.51	
56	242	2937	121	12	404	3269	151	103	77	342	5993	24	39316	29304	78970	7574	916	7026	94486	7212.28	
..	5	....	26	10	....	111	31	29	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	293	1899	....	....	781.23	
..	....	36	....	..	6	....	....	....	15	42	44	....	1059	380	3346	....	....	124	1268	.....	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 18
" Congregations in them 39
" Augmented Charges 4
" Congregations in them 11

Number of Mission Fields 6
" Preaching Stations in them 6
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 28
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations. 56

N. R. D. SINCLAIR, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Burk's Falls	Student		S. R. Alexander	Burk's Falls
2	Englehart, St. Paul's	P. W. Graham, M.A.	Englehart	James Paterson	Englehart
	Tomstown			J. MacDonald	Tomstown
3	Huntsville	G. Lloyd Evans (O.M.)	Huntsville	Geo. Munroe	Huntsville
4	New Liskeard, St. Andrew's	E. J. Kerr, B.D.	New Liskeard	W. G. Nixon, B.Sc., M.P.	New Liskeard
5	North Bay			Russell H. Thompson	309 Main St.
6	Parry Sound, St. Andrew's	J. O. Ralston, M.A.	Parry Sound	Adam Brown	Parry Sound
	Mission Fields				
1	Cochrane			Geo. C. Brownell	Cochrane
	Clute				
2	Earlton			*Mrs. Semple	Earlton
3	Hunter's Point, Que.			*Thos. Hunter	Hunter's Point, Que.
4	Magnetawan			Hugh Thompson	Magnetawan
	Croft				
	Ahmic Harbour				
	Port Carmen				
	Spence				
5	Sundridge			John Woods	Sundridge
	Strong				
6	Kirkland Lake, St. Andrew's	C. J. MacKay, B.A.	92-1st St., Kirkland Lake.	Leonard Powell	69-3rd St., Kirkland Lake.
7	Cecebe	Supplied from Burk's Falls			

Grand Total, 1938	
Grand Total, 1937	
Increase	
Decrease	

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	..
In S.S. Charges	2	Total on Roll	5
In Augmented Charges	2	Ministers on Appendix	..
In Ordained Mission Fields	1	Grand Total of Ministers	5

New Liskeard, March 22, 1939.

*Not Elders.

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

Sault Ste. Marie:—				
1 St. Paul's	C. G. Boyd, B.A.	163 Wellington St. E.	Dr. J. A. Nattress	28 Herrick St.
Victoria, West Korah			J. H. Knight	R.R. 1, Sault Ste. Marie
2 Westminster	A. D. Sutherland, B.A.	155 Church St.	J. W. Speers	437 Wellington St. E.
3 Sudbury, Knox	R. J. Stewart, B.A.	250 Edmond St., Sudbury.	J. K. MacLennan	43 Lorne St., Sudbury
Mission Fields				
1 Bar River			E. Hollingsworth	Bar River
Sowerby, Knox				
2 Hawk Junction, North Kirk	W. L. Atkinson (O.M.)	Hawk Junction		
Goudreau				
Cline Lake				
Lochalsh				

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

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													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
2	5	40	7	1	9	47	9	2	4		88	M	494	1000	494	31		60	585	30.50	1
2	6	45			9	6	5	6		3	90		1260		1451	105	3	100	1659	104.51	2
..	2	15	25	..	4	35	3				17			315	73				73		
1	6	50								7	134		1400		1499				1499	11.19	3
1	10	145	12	3	14	151	8	1		2	187	M	2000		5549	243	100	140	6032	243.45	4
1	13	107	5	..	10	85	21	9	3	7	234		1600	18350	4099	70	10	111	4290	73.22	5
1	7	120	12	..	10	126	7		3	1	206	M	1450		2888	180	132	105	3305	180.32	6
2	4	17			5	31			2		43		184	2000	571	3		20	591	4.50	1
																					2
1	3				2	15													50		3
1		6				15							50								
5	1	23			6	39					30	M	300		570	50	21	29	670	50.00	4
		9								3	7		120		165	5			170		
		6								3	2		8		13				13	5.00	
		5								3	10		15		24				24		
	2	23			4	50					25		200		228	10		11	249	7.02	
2		9	1	3			4				22		300		420	22		7	449	21.75	5
1	5	88	16	2	17	170	17	44	3	2	151	R H		15000	6872	180	58	90	7200	179.91	6
																					7
20	64	708	78	9	90	770	74	62	15	28	1246	5	9381	36665	24916	899	324	673	26859	911.37	
20	61	689	56	2	101	817	38	88	13	45	1206	7	8666	25492	17627	985	279	717	19742	960.36	
..	3	19	22	7			36		2		40		715	11173	7289		45		7117		
					11	47		26		17		2				86		44		48.99	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	3	Number of Mission Fields	7
" Congregations in them	3	" Preaching Stations in them	14
" Augmented Charges	2	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	12
" Congregations in them	3	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	20

E. J. KERR, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

20. PRESBYTERY OF ALGOMA

2	12	170	11	..	17	172	21	4	3	39	341	M	1380	22586	4785	270	31	95	5181	234.65	1
	4	15	1	..	8	35				1	42		420		398	12		47	457	12.00	
1	12	285	7	4	25	293	24	18	8	17	555		3200	17000	8850	1254	20	393	10517	1254.19	2
1	14	200	28	..	15	175	5	13			353		2500	12348	5541	221	111	157	6030	221.00	3
																			306	40.00	1
2	3	16			4	46				1	35	R H	201		271	35			103		
	2	12			5	13	3			1	20	M	90		90	13					
4		20	6	..	5	40	2				19	M	546		655	18		7	680	17.50	2
					3	45															
					4	29															

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
3	Webbwood, St. Andrew's			J. C. McMillan	Webbwood
	Massey, First Church			J. W. Darby	Massey
	Others on Roll				
1	Synodical Missionary	W. M. Mackay, B.A.	Weston, Ont.		
	Appendix to Roll				
1	Retired	E. B. Horne, M.A., D.D.	Renfrew, Ont.		
					Grand Total, 1938
					Grand Total, 1937
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	3	Total on Roll	5
In Augmented Charges	..	Ministers on Appendix	1
In Ordained Mission Fields	1	Grand Total of Ministers	6

March 22, 1939.

SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

No.					
1	Amos, Dromore	Horace Kaye, B.Th.	R.R. 2, Holstein	S. M. Patterson	R.R. 1, Varney
	Normanby, Knox			R. R. Watson	R.R. 3, Durham
2	Arthur, St. Andrew's	John R. Waldie, M.A., B.D.	Arthur	George Banks	Arthur
	Gordonville, St. Andrew's			Robert McTavish	R.R. 1, Kenilworth
3	Drayton, Knox	George Killen	Box 156 Drayton	Thomas Buchan	R.R. 2, Moorefield
	Moorefield, St. Andrew's			Hugh Campbell	Moorefield
4	Durham	S. W. Hirtle, B.A.	Box 273, Durham	Gordon Geddes	R.R. 3, Durham
	Rocky Saugeen, Burns			Rev. S. W. Hirtle	Box 273, Durham
5	Harriston, Knox	Vacant		†Albert Fife	Harriston
6	Holstein, Knox	Vacant		Colin McMillen	Holstein
	Fairbairn			Milford Hopkins	R.R., Holstein
7	Mount Forest, St. Andrew's	W.N.Fergusson,F.R.G.S.(O.M.)	Mount Forest	Dr. Andrew Seim	Mount Forest
	Conn, Knox			James Heriot	Conn
8	Palmerston, Knox	K. Hunter Palmer, D.D.	Palmerston	Albert E. Riddell	Box 249, Palmerston
9	Rothsay Calvin	G. S. Ritchie (Stated Supply)	Rothsay	Stewart Malcolmson	Rothsay
	Mission Field				
1	Clifford	Supplied by Knox, Harriston		†David Campbell	Clifford
	Others on Roll				
1		Robert Honeyman	Box 152, Durham, Ont		
	Appendix to Roll				
1	Retired	A. J. McMullen, B.A.	Markham, Ont.		
2		M. G. Court, B.A.	656 Oxford St., London, Ont.		
3		T. L. Williams, B.A., B.D.	Harriston, Ont.		
4		George S. Ritchie	Rothsay, Ont.		
					Grand Total, 1938
					Grand Total, 1937
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	5	Total on Roll	7
In Augmented Charges	..	Ministers on Appendix	4
In Ordained Mission Fields	1	Grand Total of Ministers	11

Durham, Ont., March 30, 1939.

†Not Clerk of Session.

20. PRESBYTERY OF ALGOMA—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
2	2	20			3	36	2	4			22	M	312		446	10			456	10.00	3
..	1	24			4	25					19		234	250	355	12			367	13.25	
													*3240								1
																					1
12	50	762	53	4	93	909	57	39	11	59	1406	5	8883	52184	21391	1845	162	699	24097	1802.59	
13	48	758	40	3	86	870	18	44	9	104	1370	5	9006	56889	34605	1612	140	631	36988	1655.02	
..	2	4	13	1	7	39	39		2		36		123	4705	13214	233	22	68	12891	147.57	
1								5		45											

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	3	Number of Mission Fields	3
" Congregations in them	4	" Preaching Stations in them	8
" Augmented Charges	..	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	6
" Congregations in them	..	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	12

*Salary paid by Board of Missions.

F. W. ACHESON, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

21. PRESBYTERY OF SAUGEEN

2	3	54	..	..	7	60	2	2	..	6	130	M	543	..	1106	95	..	107	1308	101.80	1
..	2	36	..	..	5	47	..	..	..	1	76	..	362	..	720	104	..	106	930	104.13	
2	7	85	6	3	10	120	11	25	4	4	218	M	1250	..	2702	182	26	123	3033	175.00	2
..	3	33	5	2	6	50	3	2	..	1	84	..	550	..	900	28	5	5	938	27.63	
2	6	65	4	..	10	82	3	1	..	1	147	M	1176	492	1971	107	..	135	2213	106.59	3
..	2	23	2	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	47	..	427	..	935	40	..	35	1010	40.00	
2	4	98	9	1	9	89	18	18	6	39	235	R H	1350	..	3284	261	25	234	3804	284.34	4
..	2	25	1	..	4	44	..	1	..	1	61	..	250	..	325	10	..	22	357	9.50	
1	9	76	14	..	8	74	2	..	..	18	215	M	1600	1000	2948	86	425	57	3516	98.50	5
2	6	48	11	..	9	56	4	1	..	1	109	M	750	..	1102	87	..	103	1292	86.00	6
..	5	28	2	..	7	20	..	..	2	1	50	..	450	500	665	6	10	100	781	15.50	
2	3	39	8	2	6	79	10	17	4	..	117	..	500	200	1178	30	2	31	1241	30.32	7
..	5	45	2	3	10	90	14	..	1	..	145	M	750	..	1200	30	..	80	1310	31.27	
1	6	105	20	2	12	104	8	..	4	7	258	M	1600	..	3556	194	..	109	3859	192.83	8
1	5	32	7	1	6	48	1	..	..	2	66	M	750	..	814	64	58	32	968	63.24	9
*1	3	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	57	..	400	..	565	1547	..	97	1609	200.00	1
																					1
																					1
																					2
																					3
																					4
16	71	803	91	14	109	963	76	70	21	82	2015	9	12708	2192	23971	2871	551	1376	28169	1566.65	
16	71	778	61	8	100	900	36	31	21	46	1986	9	13456	2911	22922	2895	492	1500	26776	1556.63	
..	..	25	30	6	9	63	40	39	..	36	29	..	748	719	1049	..	59	..	1393	10.02	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24	..	124	..	..	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	8	Number of Mission Fields	1
" Congregations in them	14	" Preaching Stations in them	1
" Augmented Charges	1	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	10
" Congregations in them	1	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	16

*Last year's figures.

ROBERT HONEYMAN, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
No.				
1 Acton	H. L. Bennie, M.A.	Acton	W. K. Graham	Acton
2 Elmira	J. S. Wright, B.A.	Elmira	Douglas Erb	Elmira
Winterbourne			Gordon Pirie	R.R.1, West Montrose
Alma			J. S. Longman	Alma
3 Elora	E. A. Thomson, B.A.	Elora	E. G. Cumming	Elora
4 Fergus, St. Andrew's			W. G. Linn	Fergus
Galt:—				
5 Central	M. B. Davidson, M.A., D.D.	30 Lansdowne Rd. N.	Wm. Wallace	56 Forbes St.
6 Knox's	J. D. Smart, M.A., Ph.D.	59 Bruce St.	Edwin S. Hood	35 Spruce St.
7 St. Andrew's	J. J. Lowe	Hespeler	Robert Bryden	108 Cedar St.
Guelph:—				
8 Knox	J. C. Grier, B.A.	25 Park Ave.	S. Koch	20 Stace St.
9 St. Andrew's	D. H. Marshall, M.A.	65 Paisley St.	Dr. N. C. Wallace	63 Queen St.
10 Hespeler	T. G. Marshall	Hespeler	W. C. Shaw	Hespeler
11 Kitchener, St. Andrew's	F. G. Stewart	22 Maynard Ave.	E. S. Smythe	58 Water St. N.
12 Nassagaweya	F. Lawson, B.A., B.D.	Campbellville	R. Allan	R.R. 1, Puslinch
Campbellville			R. C. Menzies	Campbellville
13 Preston	Walter Patterson, M.A.	742 Queen St.	Thos. Hepburn, B.A.	552 King St.
Doon			Joseph Stoltz	R.R. 1, Kitchener
14 Puslinch, Duff's	J. L. Burgess, M.A.	Morriston	D. G. Hanning	R.R. 1, Puslinch
Knox			Wm. Sim	R.R. 2, Puslinch
15 Rockwood	Vacant		Wm. Croft	R.R. 1, Campbellville
Eden Mills			J. A. McAlpine	R.R. 1, Campbellville
Guelph, St. Paul's			John Milton	112 Surrey St. E.
16 Waterloo	D. McM. Kerr	175 King St. S.	J. C. Cunningham	236 Herbert St.
Mission Fields				
1 Ayr	Student Supply		Wm. Leithead	R.R. 2, Ayr
2 Baden	Student Supply		J. P. Livingstone	Baden
Appendix to Roll				
1	G. Taylor-Munro	Stamford, Ont.		
2	G. W. Carter, M.A., B.D.	41 Surrey St. E., Guelph, Ont.		
3	A. O. McDonald, M.A., B.D.	Fergus, Ont.		
				Grand Total, 1938
				Grand Total, 1937
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	..
In S.S. Charges	14	Total on Roll	15
In Augmented Charges	1	Ministers on Appendix	3
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	18

Elora, Ont., March 14, 1939.

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

1 Ancaster	John McNab, M.A., S.T.B., B.D. (Supply).	Ancaster	Neil Livingstone	Ancaster
Alberton			James Morwick	Jerseyville
2 Burlington	Vacant		Wm. K. Rae	Burlington
3 Carluke	R. C. MacLean, B.A.	Glanford	James Morton	R.R., Ancaster
Binbrook			S. McKinnell	Glanford
4 Caledonia	A. N. McMillan	Caledonia	David Douglas	R.R. 2, Caledonia
5 Chippawa	John T. Hall	Chippawa	Thomas McCredie	R.R. 1, Port Robinson
Crowland			Robert C. Somerville	R.R. 1, Welland

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Received: By Death or Otherwise	Communicants Removed from Roll	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
														$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	15	190	..	3	19	175	9	6	2	48		476	M	2000	.....	4426	957	17	448	5848	803.77	1
3	5	45	6	2	10	79	7	5	1	26		111	M	768	2225	1626	162	.....	75	1863	161.80	2
..	4	29	..	..	2	20	....	4	2	4		78	....	442	.....	665	8	.....	.....	673	8.00	
..	4	35	..	..	5	30	....	....	1	2		96	....	580	.....	1061	35	.....	48	1144	35.00	
1	12	210	12	2	16	160	6	9	1	8		473	M	1900	.....	4087	566	45	387	5085	566.15	3
1	11	211	9	..	22	200	2	5	2	17		529	M	2000	.....	4729	646	301	315	6034	686.38	4
1	21	425	9	..	37	284	11	8	14	18		942	....	3240	3700	10263	2730	89	1064	14146	2730.00	5
1	27	450	9	..	38	270	14	20	2	17		915	M	3000	3000	10466	2730	92	768	15703	2730.00	6
1	7	80	17	2	41	399	6	21	6	72		362	....	1800	.....	2524	336	.....	117	2977	336.00	7
1	27	400	20	..	21	290	30	24	32	69		958	....	2555	.....	7382	1728	36	1070	10216	1684.06	8
1	22	297	7	..	19	172	17	31	8	13		612	....	3800	.....	7559	1491	361	819	10230	1500.35	9
1	11	190	9	6	28	175	17	6	3	6		316	M	2200	.....	4324	1081	205	361	5971	1044.89	10
1	18	350	27	2	35	320	59	101	8	10		680	M	2500	4000	7600	1560	100	550	9810	1550.04	11
2	9	94	2	..	9	104	6	....	....	60		166	M	775	.....	2370	165	.....	75	2610	161.15	12
..	10	103	4	..	14	150	2	4	2	40		177	....	775	.....	2315	604	.....	400	3319	620.90	
2	10	192	2	..	22	186	5	8	8	8		320	M	1800	.....	9688	975	26	601	11290	947.84	13
..	3	40	..	..	5	43	....	....	....	2		40	....	300	.....	410	16	.....	.....	426	16.25	
2	7	95	3	4	10	100	10	....	1	3		226	M	960	.....	1629	515	.....	234	2466	515.15	14
..	5	44	1	..	7	70	1	....	....	2		79	....	660	.....	1004	149	.....	162	1315	151.81	
3	4	26	6	..	3	20	5	....	1	2		92	R H	500	1740	706	35	24	76	841	39.26	15
..	7	34	2	3	6	40	7	1	2	....		90	....	500	1160	781	8	.....	45	834	8.00	
..	5	76	4	2	15	134	12	1	2	4		161	....	600	5000	1428	34	10	30	1502	43.00	
1	6	60	1	1	10	85	10	5	2	14		179	R H	1800	5825	3492	308	.....	128	4558	307.88	16
1	2	42	1	..	4	23	2	....	....	....		86	....	558	.....	674	27	.....	25	801	27.12	1
1	....	23	3	..	6	40	....	4	1	....		54	....	845	.....	1250	135	.....	.....	1385	140.26	2
..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....		....	....	....	.....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....		....	....	....	.....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....		....	....	....	.....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....		....	....	....	.....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
25	252	3741	154	27	404	3569	238	263	101	445		8218	12	36858	26650	92459	17001	1306	7798	121047	16815.06	
25	254	3659	140	18	405	3464	213	125	82	453		8263	12	35568	27665	85.95	16804	3091	7159	113644	17130.96	
..	....	82	14	9	....	105	25	138	19	....		....	....	1290	.....	7164	197	.....	639	7403	.....	
..	2	.....	...	..	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	8		45	....	.....	1015	.....	.....	1785	.....	.....	315.90	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	15	Number of Mission Fields	2
" Congregations in them	20	" Preaching Stations in them	2
" Augmented Charges	1	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	18
" Congregations in them	3	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	25

E. A. THOMSON, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

23. PRESBYTERY OF HAMILTON

2	6	43	3	3	6	39	....	....	....	7	83	M	850	.....	1221	46	.....	76	1343	46.25	1
..	5	43	3	..	9	52	....	....	....	5	84	....	950	.....	1262	69	.....	74	1405	68.07	
1	6	115	4	..	8	85	2	2	6	2	227	M	2000	.....	3631	202	93	164	4090	204.23	2
2	5	45	4	..	6	50	4	2	2	7	103	M	800	.....	1202	77	19	121	1419	77.54	3
..	5	23	1	..	6	30	2	....	....	7	58	....	400	.....	660	39	5	34	738	38.10	
1	12	130	....	..	11	80	....	....	2	5	330	M	1800	.....	3169	194	211	119	3693	200.53	4
2	4	62	2	..	15	160	4	2	....	3	140	M	1300	.....	1957	155	25	205	2342	155.00	5
..	4	25	1	..	7	30	....	....	3	1	59	....	600	.....	624	75	.....	85	784	70.00	

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
6	Dundas	W. B. Mitchell, B.A.	Dundas	W. J. Mulligan	Dundas
7	Dunnville	Vacant		John H. Riddell	Dunnville
8	Flamboro	C. A. Mullin, B.A.	West Flamboro	William Wood	Rockton
	Kirkwall			Charles Hunter	R.R. 3, Puslinch
	Sheffield			Stephen Moffatt	Sheffield
9	Fort Erie North	Hugh F. Davidson, M.A.	Fort Erie North	W. C. Tait	Fort Erie North
	St. Andrew's				
10	Grimsby	I. B. Kaine, B.A.	Grimsby	G. W. Crittenden	Grimsby Beach
	Stoney Creek			James Smith	Stoney Creek
11	Hagersville	Kenneth W. House, B.A.	Hagersville	Robert Smith	Hagersville
	Hamilton:—				
12	Central	William Barclay, M.A., B.D.	265 Queen S.	H. F. Burkholder	77 Sherman S.
13	Chalmers	W. I. McLean, M.A.	98 Mountain Pk.	Alex. K. Ramsay	96 Alpine Ave.
14	Erskine	R. J. Wilson	332 Locke S.	W. S. McCulloch	39 Sherman S.
15	Knox	S. Banks Nelson, D.D.	49 Young St.	Wm. M. Clarke	100 Graham Ave. N.
16	MacNab St.	H. Beverley Ketchen, D.D.	116 MacNab S.	Alex. J. Paterson	111 Glenfern Ave.
17	St. Andrew's	C. L. Cowan, B.D.	77 Tisdale S.	S. S. McCandlish	32 Melrose S.
18	St. David's	Robert Allan	43 London N.	Wm. England	31 Munro
19	St. Enoch's	Donald MacInnes, B.Th.	78 Balmoral S.	John Copple	50 Harvey
20	St. Paul's	Peter A. Dunn, M.A., B.D.	199 MacNab S.		
21	St. John	N. D. MacDonald, M.A., B.D., Ph.D.	91 Myrtle Ave.	Geo. S. Nunn	49 Rutherford
22	New Westminster	Robert Moynan, B.A., B.Th.	98 Spadina	John C. Gordon	47 Balsam
23	Jarvis	Vacant		Andrew Miller	Jarvis
	Walpole			Sanford Fleming	R.R., Jarvis
24	Niagara-on-the-Lake	D. T. L. McKerroll, B.A., D.D.	Niagara-on-Lake	R. G. Dawson	R.R. 2, Niagara-on-Lake.
25	Niagara Falls, Drummond Hill	George L. Douglas, B.A.	2140 Lundy's Lane	Dr. W. G. Thomas	2176 Lundy's Lane
26	Pelham	Stuart Woods, B.A.	R.R. 3, Fenwick	Arthur Metler	R.R. 4, Fenwick
	Fenwick, Knox			W. K. Balfour	Fenwick
	Louth			Ed. Peacock	R.R. 1, St. Catharines
27	Port Colborne	B. L. Walden, B.A.	Port Colborne	H. R. Appleyard	Humberstone
28	Port Dover	Donald H. Currie	Port Dover	A. K. Greenbury	Port Dover
29	St. Catharines, Knox	H. M. Coulter, B.A., B.Th.	31 Church St.	J. Colin Blain	Box 363, St. Catharines
30	St. David's	R. G. Stewart	St. David's	Wm. McLaren	R.R. 4, St. Catharines
	Merritton			John Cuthbert	Merritton
31	Nelson			W. A. Irving	Tansley
32	Smithville	Supply		A. J. Dalrymple	Smithville
	Beamsville				
	Wellandport			Walter B. Collver	Wellandport
33	Stamford	Geo. Taylor-Munro	Stamford	Rev. G. Taylor-Munro	Stamford
	Niagara Falls, Knox			John Stirling	Stamford
34	Thorold	W. A. J. Graham	Thorold	William Monro	Thorold
35	Waterdown	M. C. Young, B.A.	Waterdown	John Agnew	Waterdown
	Kilbride			Rev. M. C. Young	Waterdown
36	Welland	R. A. Cranston, B.A.	Welland	A. W. Marshall	Welland
	Mission Fields				
	Hamilton:—				
1	Calvin	J. K. Lattimore, B.A. (Student)		T. B. MacNaughton	51 Wood W.
2	Hungarian	E. F. Molnar, Ph.D.	153 Chedoke Ave.	N. Szabo	121 Birch Ave
3	Italian	St. Andrew's Session		J. Gervasio	35 Niagara St
4	Neighborhood House	Community		Miss M. Sloane	223 Beach Rd.
5	Welland, Hungarian	S. Laky (Supply)	c/o Rev. R. A. Cranston	John Pordo	114 State St
6	Port Robinson	No regular services			
7	Grassies	Occasional service			
	†Valens S.S.				
	Others on Roll				
1	Retired	A. H. Drumm	118 Herkimer St., Hamilton, Ont.		
2	Retired	R. Johnston, B.D., D.D.	St. Catharines, Ont.	(Deceased)	
3	Retired	D. H. Currie	Port Dover, Ont.		
4	Retired	Austin L. Budge, M.A.	39 Cliffe Ave., Hamilton, Ont.		

23. PRESBYTERY OF HAMILTON—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
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1	18	215	8	..	23	238	12	8	6	8	323	M	2000	1200	8374	856	680	610	10520	890.46	6
1	7	115	17	2	7	55	14	5	..	..	200	M	1800	1700	2928	248	53	145	3374	264.72	7
3	6	61	3	1	10	75	3	3	2	4	187	M	1200	..	2835	426	50	265	3576	426.02	8
..	6	43	..	1	6	40	3	1	2	2	110	..	750	..	1308	115	45	101	1569	115.22	
..	6	27	..	..	6	30	1	..	..	..	49	..	400	..	1191	40	38	59	1328	40.00	
2	6	87	7	2	14	146	21	23	1	3	242	M	1440	24575	5181	64	..	83	5328	95.50	9
..	3	36	..	..	5	65	4	8	..	..	46	..	360	650	1352	31	..	..	1383	35.93	
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1	7	87	6	1	9	102	3	2	..	3	216	M	1700	..	2673	365	25	508	3571	419.32	11
1	22	320	20	..	31	236	33	25	9	17	799	..	5640	10000	15414	7273	1128	1755	25570	7272.72	12
1	10	165	9	5	31	280	18	8	6	10	270	..	1720	10000	3472	285	85	200	4042	251.19	13
1	18	305	11	..	32	315	38	12	7	14	698	..	3125	5400	6883	995	1870	687	10435	990.00	14
1	15	486	11	..	20	119	13	10	16	10	996	M	3190	9800	9965	558	105	131	10759	465.88	15
1	16	224	6	1	17	106	3	12	8	5	495	M	3500	..	9612	2333	605	883	13433	1573.00	16
1	30	470	25	5	30	600	24	27	7	74	879	..	3000	3950	7190	830	380	238	8638	833.61	17
1	9	225	3	..	24	275	6	..	5	20	280	..	1200	3000	1540	135	55	58	1788	133.00	18
1	18	280	8	4	44	573	45	19	14	49	580	..	1600	34900	5332	139	36	88	5595	165.73	19
1	21	340	5	2	15	136	23	10	10	14	679	..	4500	..	10209	4685	3952	2528	21374	4685.00	20
1	18	260	15	..	20	250	18	38	15	9	712	..	2700	..	5489	950	327	856	7622	988.89	21
1	16	336	18	..	38	461	32	11	14	138	624	..	2400	49000	11000	..	450	216	11666	25.00	22
2	7	100	9	..	10	120	4	..	..	3	187	M	1009	..	1725	156	..	133	2014	162.12	23
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1	6	40	2	..	7	56	5	1	1	1	136	M	1000	1000	2313	153	16	154	2636	157.11	24
1	14	272	3	..	22	247	9	15	15	17	432	M	2000	6200	6105	701	273	391	7470	700.88	25
3	6	52	2	..	11	81	..	2	..	2	109	M	750	..	1255	103	70	135	1563	94.06	26
..	2	12	6	1	9	24	1	4	1	2	27	..	300	..	460	40	10	40	550	42.00	
..	3	33	6	..	6	25	..	..	1	2	62	..	450	..	840	53	18	26	937	54.47	
1	8	190	14	1	26	247	7	1	2	3	360	M	2000	1500	5919	370	142	249	6680	354.29	27
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1	20	452	23	..	47	580	11	34	14	67	901	M	3000	4000	16869	1865	1290	425	20449	1902.72	29
2	6	37	1	..	4	21	..	..	2	2	112	M	1000	..	1250	76	..	150	1476	86.34	30
..	6	48	3	..	13	70	..	..	2	1	104	M	610	750	2048	27	..	..	2075	8.71	
1	4	23	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	16	60	M	534	350	1067	32	..	48	1147	31.35	31
3	5	40	..	..	7	41	..	..	..	1	80	M	288	..	740	13	..	35	788	16.75	32
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1	7	165	7	..	9	106	6	4	4	7	346	M	1800	10350	6225	181	..	74	6480	186.12	34
2	5	50	2	5	8	68	5	3	..	9	115	M	1300	..	1870	23	26	165	2084	20.42	35
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1	8	260	20	..	22	275	12	11	7	16	465	M	2700	1750	5906	1034	150	352	7442	1036.00	36
1	9	96	11	2	19	170	10	3	16	26	167	M	600	2300	1505	82	..	37	1624	52.00	1
5	12	55	10	..	6	35	2	..	..	4	153	..	*990	4000	705	20	54	78	857	10.00	2
1	2	12	..	..	5	32	..	..	..	..	21	..	..	4400	529	10	..	..	539	10.00	3
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PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Appendix to Roll				
1		Albert Cooke	284 Hess S., Hamilton, Ont.		
2		Wm. Rice, B.A.	Ridgeville, Ont.		
3		E. Pugh Thomas, Ph.D.	Ancaster, Ont.		
					Grand Total, 1938
					Grand Total, 1937
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	4
In S.S. Charges	23	Total on Roll	35
In Augmented Charges	7	Ministers on Appendix	3
In Ordained Mission Fields	1	Grand Total of Ministers	38

Hamilton, Ont., March 21, 1939.

†Reported by Treasurer.

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

	Brantford:—				
1	Alexandra	E. C. McCullagh, B.A.	13 Victoria St.	James Jack	18 Strathcona Ave.
2	Central	G. D. Johnston, M.A.	48 Wellington St.	Wm. Telfer	103 Darling St.
3	Knox	J. W. Whillans	Mount Pleasant	James Richardson	15 Mintern St.
	Mount Pleasant			J. B. Scott	R.R. 2, Brantford
	St. George				
4	Embro	Alexander MacLean	Embro	D. M. Ross	R.R. 3, Embro
5	Ingersoll, St. Paul's	H. H. Turner, B.D., Ph.D.	Ingersoll	J. S. Cuthbert, B.A.	Ingersoll
6	Innerkip	W. S. Wright, B.A.	Innerkip	Gordon Smith	R.R. 1, Innerkip
	Ratho			John Arnott	R.R. 1, Bright
7	Norwich	T. E. Kennedy, B.A.	Norwich	Harry McKee	Norwich
	Bookton			W. J. Hilliard	La Salette
8	Paris	David Gowdy, B.A., B.D.	Paris	J. W. Hilborn	Paris Station
9	Simcoe, St. Paul's	A. R. Ferguson, M.A.	Simcoe	W. L. Innes	Simcoe
10	Tillsonburg, St. Paul's	A. C. Cochrane, B.A., Ph.D.	Tillsonburg	Colin Brown	Tillsonburg
	Windham Centre			Geo. Marcell	Simcoe
11	Woodstock, Knox	E. G. Thompson, M.A.	447 Hunter St., Woodstock.	F. E. Ellis	Governor's Road, Woodstock.
	†Presbytery of Paris				
	Others on Roll				
1		James Skene	Norwich, Ont.		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		R. A. Rayson	(Deceased)		
2	Retired	J. L. Simpson	Neston, Cheshire, England		
3	Foreign Missionary	A. E. Toombs	Barwani, Central India		
4		Robert Bruce, B.A., B.D.	Ailsa Craig, Ont.		
5	Retired	A. W. K. Herdman	Brantford, Ont.		
6		Robert Boyle, B.A.	"Penmarvian", Paris,	Ont.	
					Grand Total, 1938
					Grand Total, 1937
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	8	Total on Roll	12
In Augmented Charges	3	Ministers on Appendix	6
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	18

Woodstock, Ont., March 7, 1939.

†Reported by Treasurer.

23. PRESBYTERY OF HAMILTON—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938 $ c	Number
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63	449	6997	339	49	732	7573	447	374	205	571	14280	31	76021	211508	189452	27582	11327	13019	240376	26435.23	
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Number of Self-sustaining Charges	27	Number of Mission Fields	7
" Congregations in them	38	" Preaching Stations in them	13
" Augmented Charges	8	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	42
" Congregations in them	13	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	64

*Paid by Board of Missions.

AUSTIN L. BUDGE, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

24. PRESBYTERY OF PARIS

1	21	200	4	1	25	197	9	19	12	10	499	....	2400	10600	4962	418	53	225	5663	422.88	1
1	23	420	17	1	32	291	16	27	10	37	802	....	3000	.....	8207	1800	110	769	10887	1810.75	2
3	6	24	4	..	13	80	....	....	3	3	85	....	525	.....	595	24	.....	23	642	24.00	3
..	4	25	4	..	9	60	4	3	....	10	80	M	475	.....	870	75	.....	88	1033	77.50	
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1	15	201	5	2	29	250	11	6	11	61	488	M	2500	5000	6348	1485	.....	975	8799	1485.20	5
2	5	75	2	..	12	98	3	....	1	3	159	M	1300	.....	1789	96	30	85	2000	115.10	6
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1	12	250	11	2	13	167	15	13	7	11	596	M	2000	3000	6283	980	176	883	8322	978.24	8
1	8	161	4	..	10	89	10	17	2	60	301	M	2250	3000	6649	404	.....	518	7571	399.08	9
2	4	40	10	4	9	86	9	16	2	4	107	R H	1000	4450	2535	80	.....	87	2702	80.00	10
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Number of Self-sustaining Charges	8	Number of Mission Fields	..
" Congregations in them	9	" Preaching Stations in them	....
" Augmented Charges	3	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	11
" Congregations in them	7	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	16

E. G. THOMPSON, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Ailsa Craig			Lloyd Scafe	R.R. 6, Parkhill
2	Appin	Norman MacDonald	Appin	Alfred Bardwell	Appin
	Melbourne, Guthrie			Donald Campbell	R.R. 1, Melbourne
3	Argyle, Crinan	J. A. MacLean, D.D.	R.R. 5, Dutton	James McPherson	R.R. 1, West Lorne
	Dunwich, Duff's			A. N. McWilliam	R.R. 5, Dutton
4	Belmont, Knox	J. Knox Clark, B.A.	Belmont	William P. Young	R.R. 2, Belmont
	Yarmouth, St. James			D. A. Ferguson	R.R. 6, St. Thomas
5	Bethel	J. A. Isaac	R.R. 4, Ilderton	Burt Kennedy	Ilderton
	Bryanston			Rev. J. A. Isaac	R.R. 1, Ilderton
	Ilderton			Henry Scott	R.R. 4, Komoka
6	Delaware, St. Andrew's	Connected with Chalmers	London	Martin Weyler	R.R. 2, Delaware
	North Street	Connected with Elmwood Ave.	London	James Munro	R.R. 2, Lambeth
7	Dutton, Knox	J. M. Dickson	Dutton	William Saunders	Dutton
	Dunwich, Chalmers			Thomas McCallum	R.R. 1, Iona Station
8	Fingal, Knox	Walter Moffat	Fingal	James Johnston	R.R. 1, St. Thomas
	Port Stanley, St. John's			William Eastwick	Port Stanley
9	Glencoe	Fred D. Douglas	Glencoe	Charles Cameron	R.R., Glencoe
10	Kintyre	G. W. Murdock, B.A.	R.R., Rodney	John D. Scott	R.R. 4, Rodney
	Wardsville, St. John's			James Thomas	R.R., Wardsville
	London:—				
11	Chalmers	W. F. McConnell, B.A., D.D.	72 Wellington St.	H. J. Brown	424 Simcoe St.
12	Elmwood Avenue	F. W. Gilmour, D.D.	111 Elmwood Ave.	C. J. Farr	69 Craig St.
13	Hamilton Road	A. M. Currie, B.D., Ph.D.	610 Hamilton Rd.	James Lindsay	43 Adelaide St.
14	New St. James	James MacKay, B.D., D.D.	332 St. James St.	T. A. Bryan	44 Marley Place
15	St. George's	Donald McKay	674 Highbury Ave.	Archibald Sinclair	Sub. 10, London
	Dorchester	Connected with St. George's		Angus Armour	R.R. 1, Dorchester
16	Mount Brydges, St. Andrew's	W. A. MacWilliam	Mount Brydges	W. A. MacWilliam	Mount Brydges
	North Caradoc			J. T. Crawford	R.R. 1, Strathroy
	Komoka			William Waugh	Komoka
17	Mosa, Burns	J. C. Davies	R.R. 1, Walkers	Archie D. Leitch	R.R., Walkers
18	South Nissouri	Robert Duncanson, B.A.	R.R. 3, Thorndale	John A. McKay	R.R. 4, St. Mary's
	Kintore, St. James			R. J. Bain	R.R. 1, Thamesford
19	New Glasgow, Knox	Charles Carnegy	Rodney	Rev. Charles Carnegy	Rodney
	Rodney, St. John's			D. A. Scott	Rodney
	St. Thomas:—				
20	Alma Street	Vacant		J. D. Ballantine	63 Flora St.
21	Knox	John M. Laird, B.A., B.D.	50 Gladstone Ave.	Henry Wing	104 Metcalf St.
	Forest Avenue				
22	Wallacetown	Vacant		Alex. D. McKillop	Wallacetown
	West Lorne			A. J. McColl	West Lorne
	Mission Field				
1	Knollwood Park	Richard Russell, B.A., M.Th.	821 Elias St.	Edward G. Davis	165 Gammage St., London.
	Others on Roll				
1	Retired	John Elder	10 Christie St., London		
2	Retired	John Hosie	8 Curtis St., St. Thomas		
3	Retired	John McNair, B.A., B.D., D.D.	8 Christie St., London		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		C. C. Bradford, LL.B.	Deveron, Ill., U.S.A.		
2		M. F. Cree, B.A.	Ailsa Craig		
3		John Fletcher, B.A.	Melbourne		
4		John Gibson, B.A.	286 Dundas Crescent, Toronto		
5		Frank Hutchison	141 Shuter St., Toronto		
6		F. Oliver	Thorndale, Ont.		
7		William Quigley, B.A., B.D.	Nipigon, Ont.		
8		G. S. Ritchie	Rothsay, Ont.		
9		A. M. Shannon	394 Grosvenor St., London		
10		L. M. Sharpe	Belleville, Ont.		

Grand Total, 1938
Grand Total, 1937
Increase
Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 14
In Augmented Charges 2
In Ordained Mission Fields 3

Others on Roll 3
Total on Roll 22
Ministers on Appendix 10
Grand Total of Ministers 32

London, Ont., April 13, 1939.

STATISTICS AND FINANCES FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise Removed from Roll	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	6	87			10	38	3		4	1	170	M	1600	775	2100	323		265	2688	326.34	1
2	4	35			6	50			1	3	80	M	900	325	1226	112		170	1508	117.00	2
	1	12			5	15				2	28		400		500	6	53	127	686		
2	5	40	5		8	68	5		2	2	91	M	800		1317	112	51	197	1677	125.03	3
	5	54	1	1	6	62	5		2	2	101	M	1000		2033	193	39	202	2467	153.00	
2	6	80	1	2	14	90	2	1	2	4	156	M	823		1370	248	10	192	1820	251.66	4
	3	42			1	21	1	1	1	3	78		817		1241	5		62	1308	4.90	
3	3	25		1	6	63		1		3	73	M	600		1175	75	2	94	1346	113.38	5
	2	7	2							13	20		294		327				327	3.00	
	2	13			3	14	2			4	30		225		379	4		73	456	6.00	
1	2	25	3		5	15				2	48		300		358				358		6
1	4	30			6	50					53	M	600		662	72	328	143	1105	72.04	
2	6	85	1		8	47	2	5	1	1	166	M	1600		3378	268	191	280	4117	327.27	7
	2	25	1		6	30					25		500		718	23	11	100	852	25.00	
2	7	77			8	60	1	3	1	2	168	M	1200		2416	128	76	185	2805	132.20	8
	6	36	1		4	20	2				83	M	600		1418	32		47	1497	34.27	
1	9	150	13	2	8	117	5	2	4	7	354	M	1800		3351	231	35	358	3975	235.83	9
2	6	42	2	1	9	38	1		1	5	102	M	650		880	39	243	144	1306	40.31	10
	2	18			3	40					35		400		544	21	7		572	50.00	
1	9	98	12	8	15	153	11	21	1	80	179		1500	3600	4606	145	82	150	4983	151.75	11
1	12	110	6	5	8	81	8	1	16	4	322	M	1800	19153	4000	391	948	202	5541	391.40	12
1	8	130	10	2	24	185	21	13	10	4	256	M	1800	3750	3687	185		202	4074	179.32	13
1	27	450	12	1	40	319	26	40	27	19	931	M	3700		10070	2783	904	788	14545	3973.26	14
1	8	101	3	2	15	105	9	6	10	7	256	M	1400	4200	3420	200	300	225	4145	193.54	15
1	4	36	3		6	35	2	4	3	2	107		700		1509	165	8	104	1786	180.20	
3	3	30	1		8	45	1	2			63	M	442		916	20		8	944	21.80	16
	3	32	2	1	8	31	1			2	50		642		965	107		215	1287	110.20	
	3	32	1		5	39		1		1	39		517		769	13	12	66	860	25.44	
1	8	90	2		9	100		2		20	176	M	1600		2313	147	55	321	2836	147.39	17
2	5	38	2		7	68	2	3		11	86	M	750		1038	91		69	1198	91.74	18
	3	17	1		4	35	1		1	2	34		500	1000	648	37		51	736	38.00	
2	2	32	2		9	56				2	35		400		480	14		39	533	28.08	19
	4	105	1		12	84	3	6	1	1	198	M	1200		1729	105		179	2013	104.92	
1	4	154	12	2	15	120		2	39	7	343									44.86	20
1	22	430	18	11	25	190	31	34	14	29	1062		3015	4000	12408	2038	879	677	16149	1646.78	21
					10	80												147			
2	4	44	2		7	32			1	1	106	M	828		1377	21		120	1518	36.70	22
	5	33			4	31				1	94		397	1300	602	46		45	693	46.21	
1	3	44			22	143	44	2			81	M	512	5650	1102	60			1162	70.30	1
																					1
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38	218	2889	120	39	369	2770	189	150	142	247	6279	22	36812	43753	77032	8460	4234	6247	95873	9499.12	
38	221	2923	87	24	373	2705	152	154	113	233	6329	22	37479	43595	80108	8897	6062	6349	101529	8097.13	
			33	15		65	37		29	14				158						1401.99	
	3	34			4			4			50		667		3076	437	1828	102	5656		

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 16
" Congregations in them 26
" Augmented Charges 3
" Congregations in them 6

Number of Mission Fields 4
" Preaching Stations in them 6
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields 23
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations 38

JOHN McNAIR, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Amherstburg, St. Andrew's	Scarth Macdonnell, B.A.	Amherstburg	Thos. Lowe	Amherstburg
	Windsor, Knox			W. J. Dalton	339 Randolph Ave., Windsor.
2	Blytheswood	Supplied from Leamington		Howard Reid	Blytheswood
3	Chatham, First	M. Scott Fulton, M.A., B.D., D.D.	402 King St. W., Chatham.	W. McKenzie Ross	Queen St. Extension, Chatham.
4	Dresden	F. R. Anderson, B.A., B.D.	Dresden	T. E. Laird	Dresden
	Rutherford			Bruce McNabb	R.R. 2, Dresden
5	Duart	G. G. Treanor, B.Th., D.Th.	Duart	Archie McLaren	R.R. 1, Highgate
	Turin			Charles Addeman	R.R. 3, Ridgetown
6	Leamington, Knox	Wallace McClean	Leamington	G. A. Campbell	Leamington
7	Puce, St. Andrew's	Wm. Moore, B.A.	R.R. 1, Belle River	J. G. Crozier	R.R. 1, Belle River
	Essex, St. Andrew's			Geo. Ebbenghaus	Essex
8	Ridgetown, Mount Zion	Norman MacKay	Ridgetown	N. C. Campbell	R.R. 2, Ridgetown
	Blenheim			John Henderson	Blenheim
9	Thamesville, St. James	J. C. Herbison	Thamesville	J. S. Howat	Thamesville
	Kent Bridge, Knox			Rev. J. C. Herbison	Thamesville
10	Tilbury East, Valetta	Vacant		W. R. Gardiner	R.R. 1, Merlin
	Dover, New St. Andrew's			Alex. Ross	Eberts
11	Wallaceburg, Knox	E. A. Wright	Wallaceburg	W. H. Colwell	Wallaceburg
	Windsor:—				
12	St. Andrew's	H. M. Paulin, B.A., D.D.	425 Victoria Ave.	D. B. Fisher	463 Sunset Ave.
13	Hungarian	Vacant		J. C. Little	232 Brady Blvd., Riverside.
14	Riverside	C. A. McRae, Ph.D.	Apt. 1 "C", 673 Argyle Rd., Windsor.	J. C. Little	232 Brady Blvd., Riverside.
	Appendix to Roll				
1		Clement Upham	3802 Orange Ave., San	Diego, Calif., U.S.A.	
2		W. T. McKenzie	Paric, Ont.		
3		J. F. Goforth, M.A.	Knox College, Toronto	, Ont.	
4		W. W. McRae, B.A.	4211 Tyler Ave., Detr	oit, Mich., U.S.A.	

Grand Total, 1938
Grand Total, 1937
Increase
Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 9
In Augmented Charges 2
In Ordained Mission Fields ....

Others on Roll ....
Total on Roll 11
Ministers on Appendix 4
Grand Total of Ministers 15

Thamesville, Ont., April 4, 1939.

26. PRESBYTERY OF CHATHAM

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
2	5	60	1	..	5	60	2	2	2	1	99	M	700	1450	2338	70	.....	100	2508	70.15	1
..	6	138	2	..	24	190	2	3	1	11	165	....	1000	2050	2547	102	.....	132	2781	8.17	
1	3	16	.....	..	4	32	2	.....	.....	.....	29	M	220	.....	461	20	.....	112	593	25.00	2
1	22	450	12	2	20	280	32	34	2	9	812	M	3000	5200	8007	1679	25	605	10316	1679.79	3
2	7	130	3	..	11	100	7	.....	.....	5	157	M	1400	600	2516	157	54	131	2858	150.00	4
..	4	28	.....	..	3	25	1	1	.....	2	40	....	300	1450	520	11	.....	.....	531	11.38	
2	6	60	10	1	10	90	7	2	.....	4	125	M	934	.....	1406	56	.....	175	1637	55.45	5
..	4	25	3	4	3	25	6	.....	.....	6	35	....	466	.....	500	5	.....	35	640	4.50	
1	10	180	.....	..	16	168	2	7	6	83	304	M	2000	4500	6250	911	.....	636	7797	921.23	6
2	8	52	4	3	6	38	.....	.....	.....	19	82	M	1100	3500	1791	65	.....	84	1940	65.50	7
..	2	20	.....	..	4	34	.....	.....	.....	.....	32	....	400	.....	734	5	.....	.....	749	19.75	
2	6	105	2	..	9	79	1	4	.....	3	144	M	1200	.....	3305	185	8	333	3831	186.31	8
..	2	24	2	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	37	....	420	.....	640	71	.....	.....	711	71.00	
2	6	90	3	..	8	76	4	1	1	22	157	M	1440	.....	2787	510	41	172	3510	509.82	9
..	4	20	.....	..	7	30	.....	.....	.....	5	29	....	360	.....	702	43	.....	.....	745	42.50	
2	5	64	7	..	13	124	7	2	3	1	164	M	1025	1500	3445	208	23	176	3852	210.82	10
..	3	14	2	..	3	27	.....	.....	2	1	31	....	475	.....	754	.....	.....	110	864	.....	
1	9	160	8	..	18	175	4	8	1	6	289	M	1900	.....	5205	484	27	318	6034	484.24	11
1	25	584	67	4	55	768	39	39	27	72	1753	M	5000	30500	19324	2898	.....	1555	24777	1849.44	12
1	3	80	7	..	5	42	.....	.....	.....	2	128	R H	660	10350	865	48	.....	.....	913	42.50	13
													*1280								
1	7	70	3	..	21	227	7	.....	.....	1	149	....	3000	.....	3196	.....	.....	.....	3196	.....	14
..	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
..	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
..	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
..	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4
21	147	2370	136	14	245	2590	123	103	45	254	4761	13	27000	61100	67393	7528	178	4674	80783	6407.55	
21	134	2231	181	31	246	2551	174	143	96	155	4914	13	26043	62900	61813	7872	1060	4652	75406	6213.13	
..	13	139	.....	.....	.....	39	.....	.....	.....	99	.....	.....	957	.....	5580	.....	.....	22	5377	194.42	
			45	17	1	.....	51	40	51	.....	153		.....	1800	.....	344	882	.....	.....	.....	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 11
" Congregations in them 16
" Augmented Charges 3
" Congregations in them 5

Number of Mission Fields ....
" Preaching Stations in them ....
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 14
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations . 21

*Salary paid by Board of Missions; also R. H.

J. C. HERBISON, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Alvinston, Guthrie	R. T. Rutherdale, B.A.	Alvinston	Andrew Gray	R.R., Inwood
	Cameron, Euphemia			Neil Campbell	R.R., Newbury
2	Arkona	A. G. Scott	Arkona	Rev. A. G. Scott	Arkona
	Thedford, Knox			A. S. Carmichael	R.R. 3, Thedford
	Warwick, Knox			G. G. Baird	R.R., Watford
3	Brigden	D. W. Oswald, M.A.	Brigden	Rev. D. W. Oswald	Brigden
	Bear Creek			James McBean	R.R., Mooretown
4	Centre Road	E. S. Clifton, B.A. (S.S.)	R.R. 7, Parkhill	Neil Johnson	R.R. 7, Parkhill
	West Adelaide			David Wilson	R.R. 3, Kerwood
5	Corunna, St. Andrew's	W. R. Adams, B.A.	Corunna	Dr. R. McGregor	Corunna
	Courtright, Stewart			Hugh Leitch	Corunna
	Mooretown, St. Andrew's			Robert Boulton	R.R. 1, Mooretown
	Moore, Knox			Charles Nesbitt	R.R. 1, Mooretown
6	Forest, St. James	W. B. MacOdrum, B.A.	Forest	Robert Horne	Forest
7	Nairn	T. W. Mills, B.A.	R.R. 1, Ailsa Craig	Francis Thomas	R.R. 1, Ailsa Craig
	Beechwood				
8	Petrolia, St. Andrew's	R. J. Hay, B.A.	Petrolia	R. J. Strauss	Petrolia
9	Point Edward	Vacant		James McMillan	Point Edward
10	Sarnia, St. Andrew's	J. M. Macgillivray, B.A.	254 N. Brock St.	Alex. C. Rose	359 Cromwell St.
11	Sarnia, Paterson Memorial	Vacant		A. D. McMurtrie	302 George St.
	Camlachie			Wm. Allan	Camlachie
12	Strathroy, St. Andrew's	H. D. Cameron, B.A.	Strathroy	Mac. MacKellar	Strathroy
13	Watford	F. McAvoy, B.A., B.Th.	Watford	Russell Duncan	R.R., Watford
	Brooke, Chalmers			Nevin McVicar	R.R. 2, Alvinston
	Napier, St. Andrew's			Hector McLean	R.R. 2, Alvinston
14	Wyoming, St. Andrew's	Thomas Fraser	Wyoming	Stewart Smith	R.R. 1, Wyoming
	Aberarder, St. John's			Archie McKinlay	R.R., Camlachie
	Mission Fields				
1	Dawn	Supplied from Brigden		Fred Sands	Tupperville
2	Oil Springs	Supplied from Petrolia		A. W. Parks	Oil Springs
	Appendix to Roll				
1	Retired	Thomas Dodds, B.A.	Corunna, Ont.		
2	Retired	David Ritchie, B.A.	519 Brunswick Ave., Toronto, Ont.		

Grand Total, 1938
Grand Total, 1937
Increase
Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 10
In Augmented Charges 2
In Ordained Mission Fields ..

Others on Roll ..
Total on Roll 12
Ministers on Appendix 2
Grand Total of Ministers 14

Alvinston, Ont., March 8, 1939.

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

1	Atwood	J. R. Greig	R.R. 4, Atwood	J. M. Dickson	R.R. 1, Atwood
2	Avonton	H. R. Williams, B.A., B.D.	R.R. 2, St. Paul's	Geo. Armstrong	R.R. 2, St. Paul's
	Avonbank, Motherwell			Alexander McIntosh	R.R. 5, St. Mary's
3	Cromarty	James Reidie	Cromarty	James Scott	Cromarty
4	Harrington, Knox	Vacant		John A. McKay	R.R. 1, Embro
	Burns, Zorra			Donald McDonald	R.R. 2, Embro
5	Listowel, Knox	W. E. Kelley, B.A., B.D.	Listowel	E. G. McDonald	Listowel
6	Milverton, Burns	John Elder	Milverton	James Hamilton	Milverton
	North Mornington			J. K. Mayberry	R.R. 1, Britton
7	Mitchell, Knox	A. Raeburn Gibson, B.A., B.D.	Mitchell	Wm. Potts, Jr.	Mitchell
8	Monkton, Knox	J. K. West, B.A., B.D.	Monkton	Milton Holman	Monkton

27. PRESBYTERY OF SARNIA

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
2	8	130	9	1	9	76	7	1	2	4	170	M	1575		2347	69		141	2557	73.95	1
	3	15					1				38		225		337	6		54	397	6.72	
3		9								1	8	M	84		84	22		17	123	22.00	2
	6	49	3		5	25					86		800		1149	103		98	1350	105.37	
	5	26	3		8	33					47		500		617	23		81	721	27.70	
2	5	48			10	72	1				63	M	450		861	151		50	1062	152.26	3
	5	29	7		8	37	4	2	4	10	69		496		894	144	26	185	1249	175.06	
2	3	43	2	1	6	35	4	6		4	96	M	550		950	79		93	1122	90.45	4
	3	28	2		8	50	9	2		1	72		550		719	37		70	826	46.60	
4	4	46	2		8	55	1				76	M	475		676	26		146	848	28.42	5
	3	17			2	8					31		325		347	15			362	15.00	
	3	26	1		9	34	4			1	38		325		460	15		48	523	22.91	
	3	30	5				5	1			66		475		606	33			639	33.26	
1	9	149	9	1	16	119		1	2	3	214	M	1600		3586	397	44	312	4339	397.00	6
2	3	35	1		8	52	3		3		62	M	633		1035	36	11	52	1134	36.47	7
	3	45		1	8	53	5			2	70		835		1312	143	12	137	1604	142.70	
1	10	163	9		16	142	13	14	4	18	280	M	1800		4237	278	6	253	4774	277.85	8
1	2	60	1		8	59	2		6		61	M	639		1049	40		31	1120	42.75	9
1	16	431	20	2	45	450	24	29	9	27	748	M	3200	2700	12497	2399	587	836	16319	2300.00	10
2	6	250	14	7	51	354	20	12	2	3	296	R H	1200	3000	5724	233		120	6077	208.20	11
	5	32			6	22	2		1	6	67		600		993	28		62	1083	27.50	
1	8	200	5		17	98	4	3	1	6	286	M	1940		3963	437	288	248	4936	436.68	12
3	6	34	3	1	3	15	1	3			81	M	650	300	927	37	20	116	1100	37.32	13
	4	37	1		2	25					46		500		643	50		40	733	50.00	
	4	51		3	4	40	9	13		2	79		650		1313	33	214	87	1647	33.09	
2	7	75	5		9	60	14	1		3	148	M	1100	3700	3496	291	84	225	4096	291.85	14
	4	30	1		4	34				2	59		700		942	66	30	209	1247	66.01	
1	3	25			5	23		2	2		40		330		594	25	5		624	25.28	1
1	2	25									50		640		650	40			690		2
																					1
																					2
29	143	2138	103	17	275	1971	133	92	36	94	3447	14	23847	9700	53008	5256	1327	3711	63302	5172.40	
29	139	2032	89	33	261	1760	125	101	48	81	3337	14	24119	14000	53134	5343	1530	3936	63943	5238.65	
	4	106	14		14	211	8			13	110										
				16				9	12				272	4300	126	87	203	225	641	66.25	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 11
" Congregations in them 21
" Augmented Charges 3
" Congregations in them 6

Number of Mission Fields 2
" Preaching Stations in them 2
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields 16
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations 29

R. T. RUTHERDALE, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

28. PRESBYTERY OF STRATFORD

1	13	156	7		16	165	6	4	5	5	386	M	1800		3715	359	103	596	4670	362.61	1
2	5	90	8		9	102			5	3	188	M	1300		2327	310	162	356	3155	306.50	2
	5	27	1		6	42	2			4	84		500		820	113	20	138	1091	112.10	
1	4	65			10	78		2		3	134	M	1200		2470	125		134	2729	117.24	3
2	4	40	2		5	50			3	2	82	M	840		941	88	264	162	1455	88.10	4
	3	25			7	45				3	66		565		650	20		75	745	1.20	
1	11	305	21		12	230	7	1	6	5	580	M	2000	9428	6606	1294		232	8132	1316.52	5
2	7	108	5		12	75	6	7	2		283	M	1700		3732	370		392	4494	386.80	6
	7	65	11		12	120	6	2		1	131		900		1331	69		168	1568	71.28	
1	11	199	7		12	143	8	6	4	8	308	M	2000		2938	604	247	275	4063	609.07	7
1	4	82	8	1	10	128	11	1	1	7	213	M	1300		2259	100	4	131	2494	99.50	8

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939 — **STATISTICS AND FINANCES**

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	St. Mary's:—				
9	First Church	J. T. Strachan	St. Mary's	F. J. Sanderson	St. Mary's
10	Knox	A. W. Hare, B.A.	St. Mary's	Duncan McVannel	R.R. 3, St. Mary's
	Stratford:—				
11	Knox	Charles S. Oke	21 Caledonia St.	A. T. Jeffrey	21 Centre St.
12	St. Andrew's	J. N. McFaul, B.A.	46 Church St.	S. J. Mallion	74 St. Vincent St.
13	Shakespeare	J. H. Moore, B.A.	Shakespeare	H. Herald	Shakespeare
	Tavistock			H. G. Pepler	Tavistock
	St. Andrew's, N. Easthope			James A. Innis	R.R. 3, New Hamburg
	North Easthope			Rev. J. H. Moore	Shakespeare
	Others on Roll				
1	Clerk of Presbytery	William J. West, M.A.	12 Trow Ave., Stratford	Adam Bray	Atwood, Ont.
	Appendix to Roll				
1	Retired	T. J. Robinson, B.A.	88 Norman St., Stratford, Ont.		
2	Retired	T. J. Murdoch, Ph.D.	967 Logan Ave., Toronto, Ont.		
					Grand Total, 1938
					Grand Total, 1937
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	11	Total on Roll	13
In Augmented Charges	1	Ministers on Appendix	2
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	15

Stratford, Ont., April 5, 1939.

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

No.					
1	Auburn, Knox	A. M. Boyle, B.A.	Blyth	James Wilson	Auburn
	Belgrave			James A. Scott	Belgrave
	Blyth, Old St. Andrew's			James Dodds	Blyth
	Smith's Hill			A. Errington	R.R. 5, Goderich
2	Clinton	Gordon A. Peddie, B.A.	Clinton	D. C. McNeill	Clinton
	Bayfield, Knox			Murdock Ross	Bayfield
3	Exeter, Caven	D. C. Hill, B.A., B.D.	Exeter	Joseph Senior	Exeter
4	Goderich, Knox	David J. Lane, B.A.	Goderich	H. J. A. MacEwan	Goderich
5	Hensall, Carmel	Wm. A. Young, B.Sc.A.	Hensall	James Bonthron	Hensall
6	Seaforth, First	Hugh Jack, B.A.	Seaforth	Malcolm MacKellar	Seaforth
	Others on Roll				
1	Retired	J. H. Barnett, Ph.D.	Goderich, Ont.		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		C. R. Ashdown, M.A., Ph.D.	Gooderham, Ont.		
2		James McIlroy	Orangeville, Ont.		
3		T. Wardlaw Taylor, M.A., Ph.D., D.D.	Goderich, Ont.		
4		H. C. Feast	781 Main St. East, Hamilton, Ont.		
					Grand Total, 1938
					Grand Total, 1937
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	4	Total on Roll	7
In Augmented Charges	2	Ministers on Appendix	4
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	11

Exeter, Ont., March 21, 1939.

28. PRESBYTERY OF STRATFORD—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	12	98	..	..	16	71	..	..	..	..	154	M	2000	3000	2358	200	907	304	3770	200.45	9
1	6	200	1	..	10	75	2	2	2	52	350	R H	1600	1000	3309	53	100	279	3741	53.94	10
1	27	433	7	2	34	331	18	37	26	18	1096	..	3200	10000	10308	2529	355	1101	14293	2555.07	11
1	22	330	14	5	25	245	51	11	6	11	811	M	2000	8000	6289	943	..	656	7888	943.15	12
4	4	30	1	..	8	56	..	..	3	..	82	M	625	..	1096	196	20	100	1312	238.00	13
..	3	13	..	..	9	22	..	1	1	1	30	..	330	..	570	25	..	..	595	34.55	
..	1	17	..	..	4	10	1	1	..	2	47	..	448	..	582	21	13	116	733	24.00	
..	..	17	1	..	5	20	..	..	..	1	47	..	411	..	418	115	..	194	727	125.00	
																					1
																					1
																					2
19	149	2300	94	8	222	2008	118	75	64	126	5072	12	24719	31428	52719	7534	2195	5409	67675	7645.08	
19	146	2348	117	8	237	2145	172	77	66	200	5072	12	24806	31152	62681	8504	873	5445	77473	8418.09	
..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	276	..	..	1322	..	..	..	
..	..	48	23	..	15	137	54	2	2	74	..	..	87	..	9962	970	..	36	9798	773.01	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	12	Number of Mission Fields	..
" Congregations in them	18	" Preaching Stations in them	..
" Augmented Charges	1	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	13
" Congregations in them	1	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	19

W. J. WEST, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

29. PRESBYTERY OF HURON

4	5	28	1	..	6	35	..	..	..	..	73	..	640	500	1381	36	25	103	1545	30.75	1
..	3	24	..	..	6	25	..	2	..	2	60	..	475	..	659	59	..	87	805	59.00	
..	3	22	1	..	4	20	..	2	3	..	44	R H	550	2000	847	80	..	168	1095	80.32	
..	5	21	..	..	8	52	..	1	2	3	41	..	475	..	771	56	4	..	831	60.39	
2	6	67	3	1	7	28	8	7	3	4	137	M	1200	..	2025	107	..	95	2227	110.15	2
..	5	15	..	..	3	10	1	..	1	1	38	..	300	416	364	13	..	64	441	14.51	
1	6	58	3	3	10	66	10	6	..	3	158	M	1350	..	2531	129	..	166	2826	174.70	3
1	19	334	11	1	27	358	18	14	7	45	609	M	2500	8900	7292	1892	156	1257	10597	1850.00	4
1	10	130	12	..	10	82	..	13	..	2	298	M	1800	..	2949	287	96	213	3545	291.39	5
1	13	240	6	..	10	110	15	8	7	63	466	M	1800	..	4325	896	150	957	6328	871.66	6
																					1
																					1
																					2
																					3
																					4
10	75	939	37	5	91	786	52	53	23	123	1924	6	11090	11816	23144	3555	431	3110	30240	3542.87	
10	68	861	36	..	96	720	24	34	27	223	1968	6	11054	13473	22568	3282	411	2681	28942	3377.22	
..	7	78	1	5	..	66	28	19	..	..	..	..	36	..	576	273	20	429	1298	165.65	
..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	4	100	44	..	..	1657	..	..	..	..	..	..	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	4	Number of Mission Fields	..
" Congregations in them	7	" Preaching Stations in them	..
" Augmented Charges	2	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	6
" Congregations in them	3	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	10

D. C. HILL, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Ashfield	J. Reynolds Esler, B.A.	R.R. 3, Lucknow	Duncan Cameron	R.R. 3, Lucknow
	Ripley			A. D. Martyn	R.R. 4, Ripley
	Bervie	S. M. Scott, B.A.	Kincardine	Andrew MacDonald	Bervie
2	Bluevale	Vacant		Archie Messer	R.R. 1, Bluevale
	Eadies			Peter McDougal	R.R. 1, Wingham
3	Brussels	Samuel Kerr, B.A., B.D.	Brussels	Duncan MacDonald	Brussels
4	Cranbrook, Knox	W. A. Williams	R.R. 3, Brussels	Rev. W. A. Williams	R.R. 3, Brussels
	Ethel				
5	Kincardine, Knox	S. M. Scott, B.A.	Kincardine	Alex. Johnston	Kincardine
6	Kinloss, South	G. M. Young	R.R. 5, Lucknow	John S. McDonald	R.R. 6, Lucknow
	Kinlough			John Lane	R.R. 2, Holyrood
7	Lucknow	C. H. MacDonald	Lucknow	James Pickering	Lucknow
	Dungannon			Robert Davidson	Dungannon
8	Molesworth	Vacant		Joseph Cumming	R.R. 1, Listowel
	Gorrie			Dr. James Armstrong	Gorrie
9	Teeswater	J. D. Wilkie, B.A.	Teeswater	J. J. Reid	Teeswater
	Belmore			John Darling	Belmore
10	Whitechurch	John Pollock, B.A.	Whitechurch	J. F. Davidson	R.R. 3, Wingham
	Calvin			John McGee	R.R. 3, Wingham
	Langside			Walter Ferguson	Teeswater
11	Wingham	Kenneth MacLean, B.A.	Wingham	Harry F. McGee	Wingham
	Appendix to Roll				
1		J. K. MacGillivray, M.A.	Lucknow		

Grand Total, 1938
Grand Total, 1937
Increase
Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 9
In Augmented Charges .....
In Ordained Mission Fields .....

Others on Roll .....
Total on Roll 9
Ministers on Appendix 1
Grand Total of Ministers 10

Whitechurch, March 21, 1939.

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

1	Allenford			G. C. Wain	Allenford
	Elsinore			Chas. Doll	R.R. 1, Allenford
2	Burgoyne			John Chapman	R.R. 1, Southampton
	Dunblane			Donald Christie	R.R. 1, Turners
3	Chatsworth	S. Moore Gordon, B.A., B.D.	Chatsworth	Allan Findlay	Chatsworth
	Dornock			Wm. Smith	Dornock
	Williamsford			R. L. Aitcheson	R.R. 2, Chatsworth
4	Chesley	James Fleming	Chesley	S. M. Ewart	Chesley
5	Glamis			Thos. W. Thompson	R.R. 2, Tiverton
6	Hanover	H. G. Cleghorn	Hanover	Walter Laidlaw	Hanover
	Ayton				
7	Owen Sound	J. Goforth Hornsby	1112 4th Ave. West, Owen Sound, Ont.	Lyman Brown, B.A.	970-3rd Ave. W., Owen Sound.
8	Paisley	A. H. Wilson	Paisley	Alex. McTavish	Paisley
	Salem			J. T. Buchanan	R.R. 3, Paisley
9	Port Elgin			R. H. Muir	Port Elgin
	North Bruce			Archibald K. Bell	Port Elgin
10	Southampton			D. E. MacVittie	Southampton
11	Tara	P. Reith	Tara	G. A. Cunningham	Tara
12	Tiverton	A. MacIver, B.D.	Tiverton	Ewart McKenzie	Tiverton
13	Walkerton	J. M. McCurlie	Walkerton	Norman Shaw	Walkerton
14	Wiarton	Wm. Sutherland, B.A., B.Th., B.D.	Wiarton	John Macaulay	Wiarton
	Hepworth			Donald Dewar	Hepworth

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise Removed from Roll	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
2	6	86	..	..	7	60	1	..	5	3	170	M	1980	..	3067	294	72	171	3604	297.01	1
..	6	60	2	..	7	45	..	3	2	5	129	..	735	2000	1156	113	..	150	1819	116.50	
..	3	20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	125	..	150	2	..	..	152	..	
2	6	47	3	..	6	32	..	..	2	3	112	M	1018	990	1456	136	17	94	1703	135.55	2
..	6	28	2	2	6	45	3	3	1	..	72	..	582	..	777	109	17	62	965	115.40	
1	12	160	6	..	13	155	2	2	4	20	351	M	1800	..	3714	546	100	370	4720	565.49	3
2	6	42	9	..	4	51	10	..	2	..	110	M	900	..	1491	115	..	138	1744	115.00	4
..	4	34	..	..	5	45	1	..	1	..	94	..	900	350	1456	100	..	73	1629	100.44	
2	8	246	17	2	17	219	5	13	5	64	342	M	1800	..	5406	1166	73	624	7269	1165.60	5
2	5	40	4	..	6	45	..	..	2	..	66	M	1000	..	1250	55	8	85	1398	48.65	6
..	3	25	3	..	5	30	..	..	..	5	40	..	500	..	600	86	6	52	744	83.06	
2	13	130	4	1	15	145	12	5	1	5	351	M	1500	..	3750	981	25	450	5206	986.80	7
..	5	30	2	..	5	51	2	1	2	1	79	..	500	..	662	105	..	62	829	104.50	
2	5	60	9	..	11	87	..	..	2	1	147	M	1000	..	1727	103	285	52	2167	52.54	8
..	4	26	..	..	6	35	..	2	..	2	57	..	600	..	1363	79	1	..	1343	59.05	
2	11	134	8	1	9	100	10	12	2	63	313	M	1600	..	3111	425	..	352	3888	432.60	9
..	4	23	1	..	8	50	6	2	..	3	82	..	400	700	730	147	..	3	880	133.40	
3	6	50	1	..	4	39	..	..	6	2	146	M	1100	..	1876	191	..	180	2247	190.40	10
..	3	11	..	..	3	12	..	..	..	1	23	..	350	..	407	44	..	49	500	44.60	
..	3	18	..	..	6	31	2	..	..	1	53	..	450	100	421	6	..	30	457	11.51	
1	15	139	6	..	25	127	3	14	7	7	422	M	2300	..	4405	1100	115	706	6326	1100.00	11
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
21	134	1409	77	6	168	1404	57	57	44	186	3159	11	21140	4140	38975	5903	719	3703	49590	5858.10	
21	120	1422	66	6	175	1331	72	49	32	87	3275	12	20378	4385	34597	5791	367	3718	44473	5785.71	
..	14	..	11	..	..	73	..	8	12	99	..	..	762	..	4378	112	352	..	5117	72.39	
..	..	13	..	7	..	..	15	..	..	..	116	1	..	245	..	..	..	15	..	..	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 11
" Congregations in them 21
" Augmented Charges .....
" Congregations in them .....

Number of Mission Fields .....
" Preaching Stations in them .....
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 11
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations. 21

JOHN POLLOCK, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

31. PRESBYTERY OF BRUCE

2	6	33	..	..	5	30	1	..	..	1	66	M	444	..	544	27	10	75	656	27.33	1
..	3	24	..	..	9	36	..	..	..	..	37	..	221	..	576	24	..	..	600	24.00	
2	6	57	1	1	7	60	2	1	5	1	89	M	763	..	1755	161	..	78	1994	169.96	2
..	3	7	2	..	4	20	..	13	..	..	22	..	119	..	290	38	..	51	379	38.15	
3	4	47	..	..	7	46	2	..	..	3	114	M	730	..	849	86	..	98	1033	86.34	3
..	4	28	..	..	4	34	..	2	..	..	81	..	470	..	785	65	..	69	919	62.85	
..	3	26	1	..	7	31	2	..	2	..	63	..	400	..	630	42	..	67	739	41.55	
1	12	135	7	..	14	127	13	14	3	5	403	M	1800	..	4126	604	13	304	5137	690.26	4
1	4	35	3	..	8	40	2	1	..	..	64	M	500	..	863	19	39	75	996	18.62	5
2	6	97	3	2	12	120	16	30	..	12	188	M	1600	..	2152	100	..	150	2402	114.18	6
..	2	8	..	..	2	9	..	1	..	1	21	..	250	..	267	..	21	..	288	21.15	
1	16	340	..	..	21	325	7	4	11	121	616	..	2400	3500	5629	495	100	427	6651	542.78	7
2	10	100	4	..	8	64	1	7	5	1	278	M	1400	..	2218	418	24	339	2999	418.15	8
..	5	31	2	..	6	46	..	4	..	1	88	..	400	..	706	168	11	..	885	165.89	
2	5	75	1	7	8	65	14	8	..	4	165	M	583	4000	2374	80	..	116	2570	93.00	9
..	3	32	..	..	2	15	12	1	5	3	58	..	279	..	569	51	..	..	620	51.00	
1	7	106	1	3	9	59	5	1	..	4	134	M	1044	..	1998	109	133	107	2347	100.77	10
1	8	75	2	..	7	42	1	..	3	2	142	M	1230	..	2174	400	..	189	2763	399.42	11
1	10	110	11	..	14	125	5	..	20	..	228	M	2000	..	3240	333	..	240	3813	331.98	12
*1	14	130	2	..	11	73	2	8	..	5	301	M	2000	..	6088	825	..	430	7343	596.34	13
2	6	105	2	..	9	110	..	2	2	16	218	M	1416	..	2302	83	..	180	2565	83.09	14
..	4	12	..	..	..	..	..	4	1	3	17	..	200	..	289	21	..	..	310	21.40	

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	No.				
1	Kildonan	P. Ferguson MacSween	R.R. 1, Winnipeg	W. C. Inglis	124 Leila Ave., W. Kildonan.
2	Selkirk, Knox	J. S. Clarke (O.M.)	Selkirk, Man.	D. R. McLeod	Selkirk, Man.
3	Stonewall, Knox	P. Ferguson MacSween	R.R. 1, Winnipeg	A. G. McAdam	Box 178, Stonewall, Man.
	Winnipeg:—				
4	First Church	W. Gordon Maclean, M.A.,B.D.	191 Harvard Ave.	R. W. McGee	557 Wellington Cres.
5	Norwood			James Rodgers	191 Enfield Cres., Norwood.
6	St. James	R. MacKay Esler	196 Wallace Rd., St. James.	Jas. C. McCallum	258 Berry St., St. James.
7	St. John's	John Fleck	344 Lansdowne Ave.	R. S. Hamilton	158 Jefferson Ave., W. Kildonan.
8	Calvin	D. Johnstone	1652 Alexander Ave.	George Leckie	1457 Winnipeg Ave.
	Mission Fields				
1	East Lockport	G. H. Gunn, B.A.	R.R. 1, Winnipeg	P. F. MacSween (Supervising Pastor)	R.R. 1, Winnipeg
	Ashfield				
2	East Selkirk, MacBeth	Student		P. F. MacSween (Supervising Pastor)	R.R. 1, Winnipeg
3	Gonor, All People's Mission	Student		P. F. MacSween (Supervising Pastor)	R.R. 1, Winnipeg
4	Morden, Knox	Student		Stuart Scott	Morden, Man.
	Mountain City	Community Service			
5	Roland	J. J. Cowan, B.A. (O.M.)	Roland, Man.	George Ross	Roland, Man.
6	Elmwood, Winnipeg	Presbytery, Session and Deaconess		H. Reese	249 Gordon Ave., Winnipeg.
	Others on Roll				
1		Peter Fisher	Olds, Alta.		
2		Edward Lee	523 Rathgar Ave., Winnipeg, Man.		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		George H. Gunn, B.A.	R.R. 1, Winnipeg, Man.		
2		Neil G. Smith, M.A.	c/o John H. Smith, R.	R. 3, Woodville, Ont.	
					Grand Total, 1938
					Grand Total, 1937
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	2
In S.S. Charges	3	Total on Roll	9
In Augmented Charges	2	Ministers on Appendix	2
In Ordained Mission Fields	2	Grand Total of Ministers	11

WINNIPEG, MAN., APRIL 3, 1939.

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	6	39	2	..	11	81	2	....	....	1	76	M	1000	.....	1433	229	.....	126	1788	228.25	1
1	6	70	6	4	11	140	16	....	6	1	171	M	1500	1700	2515	127	.....	94	2736	126.55	2
1	5	25	3	..	7	60	....	....	....	1	47	M	300	1300	460	17	.....	85	562	10.53	3
1	33	300	10	..	25	175	11	42	22	72	749	....	4500	52000	16040	756	935	535	18286	795.66	4
1	8	70	6	1	9	107	1	....	5	2	125	....	1000	7100	2223	159	.....	88	2470	168.12	5
1	5	64	3	3	11	110	2	7	4	....	146	....	840	11300	2336	169	15	96	2616	169.14	6
1	11	132	....	..	17	122	7	4	3	4	275	....	1600	13500	3578	380	36	110	4104	380.45	7
1	4	85	3	..	15	167	5	3	....	8	129	M	920	2232	1642	60	15	60	1777	60.00	8
2	....	22	....	..	4	87	2	7	....	....	9	....	....	....	140	14	.....	.....	154	20.00	1
..	....	19	....	..	4	65	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	39	6	.....	.....	45	.....	
1	....	12	....	..	4	24	....	....	....	....	20	M	....	....	312	48	.....	25	385	31.24	2
1	....	30	....	..	4	75	....	....	....	....	15	M	....	....	81	3	.....	24	108	2.68	3
2	5	26	....	..	6	35	....	....	2	45	....	560	....	....	809	65	.....	75	949	68.00	4
1	4	29	....	..	5	53	....	....	1	....	64	M	624	1500	848	30	.....	41	919	39.75	5
1	2	26	5	..	14	150	....	....	4	71	....	....	....	....	524	....	.....	24	548	4.58	6
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16	89	949	38	8	147	1451	46	63	41	95	1942	7	12844	90632	32980	2063	1001	1383	37447	2104.95	
18	88	965	51	8	175	1593	64	38	31	55	1968	8	12434	92502	36864	2113	473	1420	40870	2035.58	
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2	....	16	13	..	28	142	18	....	....	....	26	1	....	1870	3884	50	....	37	3423	.....	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	4	Number of Mission Fields	6
" Congregations in them	4	" Preaching Stations in them	8
" Augmented Charges	4	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	14
" Congregations in them	4	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	16

DAVID JOHNSTONE, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF MANITOBA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Brandon:—				
1	First	J. F. Wedderburn, M.A., B.D.	315-12th St.	A. Shewan	345-15th St.
2	St. Andrew's	W. J. Allen	360 Frederick St.	Geo. Manson	121 Pacific Ave.
	Blyth				
3	Carberry	Oliver E. Mann	Carberry	Geo. Elliott	Carberry
	Wellwood			W. A. Mackie	Wellwood
4	Hartney, St. Paul	M. P. Floyd	Melita	Wm. McPherson	Hartney
5	Lenore	Student		R. G. Garbitt	Lenore
	Breadalbane				
6	Melita	M. P. Floyd	Melita	D. W. Yuille	Melita
	Elva				
7	Neepawa	J. H. Stewart, B.D.	Neepawa	R. D. Young	Neepawa
8	Ninga	Student		Ed. Pettypiece	Boissevain
	Boissevain				
9	Portage la Prairie	Wm. Weir, B.A.	Portage la Prairie	R. C. Brown	Portage la Prairie
	Mission Fields				
1	Argyle	H. Crump (Missionary)	Box 346, Rossburn		
	Waywayseecappo Reserve			Wm. McKenzie	Dunrea
2	Bellafield	Student		*John MacKay	Hilton
	Hilton				
3	Birtle Indian School	E. H. Lockhart (Principal)	Birtle Indian School	*Mrs. N. Kyryluk	Cranberry Portage
4	Cranberry Portage	Student		John Morton	Elphinstone
5	Elphinstone	H. T. White (Missionary)	Elphinstone		
	Okanais Reserve				
6	Flin Flon				
7	Holmfield	Supplied from Boissevain		C. A. McRae	Kenton
8	Kinsmore	Supplied from Lenore		R. G. Garbitt	Lenore
	Ravine	Supplied from Lenore		Harry McAdam	Minnedosa
9	Minnedosa	H. Gibson (Student)		*Mary E. Buckley	Mission House, Rolling River, Basswood
10	Rolling River Reserve	Miss Buckley (Missionary)			
				*Geo. Lindsay	The Pas
11	The Pas	H. Davidson (Student)	The Pas	D. Hattie	Winnipegosis
12	Winnipegosis	Student			
	Others on Roll				
1		E. H. Lockhart	Principal, Birtle Indian	School, Birtle, Man.	
2		Robert Paterson, M.A.	Glenboro, Man.		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		F. B. Willson	Elphinstone, Man.		

Grand Total, 1938
Grand Total, 1937
Increase
Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	2
In S.S. Charges	2	Total on Roll	8
In Augmented Charges	4	Ministers on Appendix	1
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	9

*Not an Elder.

BRANDON, MAN., MARCH 8, 1939.

34. PRESBYTERY OF BRANDON

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	17	200	14	4	28	277	13	5	3	10	485	M	2800	35657	10993	93	20	194	11300	87.00	1
2	5	73	10	..	27	200	....	3	....	3	156	M	1200	2784	2749	90	.....	100	3000	90.19	2
..	1	7	....	..	3	14	....	....	....	....	13	....	200	.....	200	.....	.....	33	230	17.82	
2	4	59	13	..	7	65	5	....	8	1	88	R H	487	.....	1201	53	.....	50	1304	52.15	3
..	4	55	12	..	5	55	5	....	3	2	113	M	473	.....	732	32	.....	86	850	37.00	
..	4	55	12	..	5	55	5	....	3	2	113	M	473	.....	805	81	10	37	1056	81.00	4
..	4	55	12	..	5	55	5	....	3	2	113	M	473	.....	805	81	10	37	1056	81.00	4
1	5	37	2	..	8	67	6	....	....	1	73	M	450	.....	835	10	.....	42	887	10.00	5
2	3	30	8	5	7	80	7	....	2	....	78	M	456	100	317	3	.....	90	409	.....	
..	2	12	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	51	....	285	.....	744	76	.....	50	870	75.75	6
2	2	44	3	..	....	....	5	....	....	2	56	M	495	.....	152	5	.....	....	158	4.96	
..	3	8	4	..	....	....	4	....	....	....	27	....	105	.....	2037	32	17	90	2175	31.83	7
1	8	120	....	..	10	76	13	1	....	5	210	M	1200	.....	344	.....	.....	72	415	16.10	8
2	1	26	....	..	6	41	....	....	....	1	....	M	.....	.....	1187	45	12	53	1297	45.11	
..	6	29	....	..	6	40	....	....	....	....	60	M	.....	650	2983	143	7	30	3163	143.00	9
1	5	53	2	..	6	69	....	3	....	1	131	R H	1200	6656							

SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
No.				
1 Regina, First Church	Samuel Farley, M.A.	2234 Angus St.	Stuart Muirhead	1 St. Margaret's Apts.
2 Indian Head	James Evans, B.A.	Indian Head	D. H. Star	Indian Head
Qu'Appelle			James Stevens	Qu'Appelle
Mission Fields				
			†Mrs. T. Addie	Arcola
1 Arcola	Student Supply		James Parkhill	Govan
2 Arlington Beach	A. A. Downey (Catechist)	Strasbourg		
Eddy				
Dunkeld				
Strasbourg				
3 Bekevar	Andrew Arvay, B.A., B.D.	Kipling	Gabriel Zakos	Bekevar
4 Dunleath	Roderick MacLeod, (O.M.)	Dunleath	John Graham	Barvas
Stornaway				
	Student Supply		†Mrs. T. W. Johnson	Estevan
5 Estevan	Supplied from Whitewood		Alex. Broadley	Moosomin
6 Moosomin	Student Supply		Stuart Muirhead	1 St. Margaret's Apts.
7 Regina, North Side	Student Supply		John Drinman	Heward
8 Stoughton				
Heward				
9 Whitewood	Charles Laine (Catechist)	Whitewood	A. F. Robertson	Whitewood
Burrows				
McKay				
St. John			H. W. MacDonald	Broadview
Broadview	Supplied from Whitewood		Oliver MacDonald	Regina
Eastview Sunday School				
Others on Roll				
1 Synodical Missionary	H. R. Horne, B.A., LL.B.	144 Leopold Crescent,	Regina, Sask.	
Appendix to Roll				
1	W. G. Tate	2654 Elphinstone St.,	Regina, Sask.	
2	John Kovach, B.A.	Bekevar, Sask.		
				Grand Total, 1938
				Grand Total, 1937
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	1	Total on Roll	5
In Augmented Charges	1	Ministers on Appendix	2
In Ordained Mission Fields	2	Grand Total of Ministers	7

†Not an Elder.

INDIAN HEAD, APRIL 4, 1939.

35. PRESBYTERY OF REGINA

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	24	272	35	..	26	280	21	13	15	54	709	M	3000	21984	8014	1530	3579	422	13545	1489.69	1
2	4	54	4	1	10	65	20	5	3	2	124	M	500	....	1650	30	370	.....	2050	30.00	2
..	6	32	5	..	3	27	3	....	....	2	81	....	500	1100	675	25	25	.....	725	20.00	
																					1
1	2	6	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	20	M	....	65	300	326	86	67	10	489	91.80	2
4	6	34	....	....	9	84	....	....	1	2	152	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
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SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Assiniboia			W. W. Stewart	Assiniboia
2	Briercrest	Student		Thomas Findlay	Briercrest
	Camlachie		Box 876, Moose Jaw	R. Herrod	1083-1st Ave. N.E.
3	Moose Jaw, Knox	James Wilson		W. J. Moffat	151 Iroquois St.
	St. Paul's		St. Andrew's Manse, Swift Current.	J. R. Hutchison	Box 606, Swift Current
4	Swift Current, St. Andrew's	C. Younger-Lewis, B.A.			
5	Weyburn	Vacant		W. J. Jolly	Weyburn
	Prairie View				
	Mission Fields				
1	Maple Creek	Vacant		J. Hastie	Maple Creek
	Wapashoe				
2	Pambrun	Student		W. C. Brell	Pambrun
	Courcellette				
3	Bruce	Supplied from Assiniboia		J. Bremner	Rockglen
	Rockglen				
	Bordervale				
	Kildeer				
	Coal Creek			Miss Myrtle Garris	Arena
4	Yellowstone	Student			
	Ridge Cliffe				
	Divide				
	Alfalfa				
	Others on Roll				
1		D. G. Cameron, D.D.	Box 607, Swift Current		
	Appendix to Roll				
1		R. S. Leslie, B.A.	Trossachs, Sask.		
2		R. MacKnight	Moose Jaw, Sask.		

Grand Total, 1938
Grand Total, 1937
Increase
Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges: 1
In Augmented Charges: 1
In Ordained Mission Fields: 1

Others on Roll: 1
Total on Roll: 4
Ministers on Appendix: 2
Grand Total of Ministers: 6

Swift Current, Sask., March 18, 1939.

SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

1	Melfort, St. James	Wm. J. McKeown (O.M.)	Melfort	David Rodger	Melfort
	Clapton				
2	Prince Albert, St. Paul's	Arend Roscamp, B.A., B.Th.	Prince Albert, Sask.	John Macleod	424-12th St. E.
3	Tisdale, St. Andrew's			F. T. Fraser	Tisdale
	Hanover				
	Mission Fields				
1	Carragana	Student		M. C. Hobman	Lens
	Souches				
	Golden Glow				
	Greenview			George Forde	Kinistino
2	Kinistino	Student			
	Crescent Hill				
	Crompton				
	Norden				
	Shannonville				

36. PRESBYTERY OF MOOSE JAW

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise	Communicants: Removed from Roll	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
														$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	4	61	6	..	8	89	3	....	4	....	....	87	M	520	4930	1030	82	....	61	1136	82.04	1
2	4	28	2	..	3	40	1	....	....	....	....	45	M	167	2025	447	33	61	38	579	49.09	2
..	....	7	1	2	1	20	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	35	....	....	....	....	....	35	....	....
2	3	62	....	..	12	51	3	1	3	30	....	114	....	719	6174	1410	69	152	111	1742	47.94	3
..	3	27	....	..	6	25	....	....	....	1	....	51	M	341	....	1075	150	34	35	1294	150.00	
1	3	48	9	..	10	101	16	8	....	4	....	70	M	932	3840	1478	75	24	92	1669	67.17	4
2	10	137	10	4	24	178	18	4	5	9	....	335	M	1500	....	3197	304	150	100	3428	280.99	5
..	....	26	....	..	3	23	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	40	....	175	18	....	....	175	18.10	
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2	1	12	2	..	4	37	2	1	....	....	....	44	....	115	....	145	10	....	....	171	11.52	
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21	32	494	36	6	79	648	43	14	12	44	830	7	4449	19469	9113	741	431	437	10415	717.71	
20	30	446	34	10	82	623	10	17	26	100	783	7	4300	17955	8289	613	530	474	10982	663.59	
1	2	48	2	..	....	25	33	....	....	....	....	47	....	149	1514	824	128	....	....	....	54.12	
..	....	....	....	4	3	....	....	3	14	56	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	99	37	567	....	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges: 1
" Congregations in them: 2
" Augmented Charges: 4
" Congregations in them: 6

Number of Mission Fields: 4
" Preaching Stations in them: 13
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields: 9
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations: 21

C. YOUNGER-LEWIS, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

37. PRESBYTERY OF PRINCE ALBERT

2	5	60	10	..	8	85	27	3	5	22	115	M	1200	.....	2055	102	.....	123	2285	101.02	1
..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
1	7	382	34	4	25	420	8	4	8	60	398	M	1320	5000	4865	242	126	174	7670	242.15	2
2	4	85	2	1	9	139	1	4	3	3	89	M	900	3500	1287	65	.....	91	1910	65.03	3
..	....	20	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	75	....	....	....	....	....	75	....	
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..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	25	M	52	.....	110	.....	.....	2	164	.....	1
4	2	20	1	..	4	21	....	....	....	....	10	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
..	1	6	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
..	....	7	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	7	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
..	....	7	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
5	2	12	2	..	4	70	3	....	3	....	53	M	305	967	541	8	.....	....	735	7.60	2
..	....	8	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	91	....	103	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	
..	....	8	....	..	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	26	....	38	....	....	....	....	....	
..	....	19	....	..	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	26	....	32	....	....	....	....	....	
..	....	5	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	8	....	....	....	....	....	

SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
No.			W. B. Moore	Meath Park
3 Meath Park	Student			
Weirdale				
Foxford				
Howard Creek	W. W. Moore, B.A.	Mont Nebo	William Bird	Mont Nebo
4 Mistawasis				
5 Smeaton				
Aldergrove				
Celtic				
Shipman				
6 Sylvania	Student			
East Sylvania				
Golburn				
Others on Roll				
1 Protestant Chaplain, Saskatchewan Penitentiary	R. G. McKay, M.A.	64-21st St. E., Prince Albert, Sask.		
Appendix to Roll				
1 Retired	J. C. Madill	613 Eastlake Ave., Saskatoon, Sask.		
				Grand Total, 1938
				Grand Total, 1937
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	1	Total on Roll	4
In Augmented Charges	1	Ministers on Appendix	1
In Ordained Mission Fields	1	Grand Total of Ministers	5

Prince Albert, Sask., March 2, 1939.

SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

1 North Battleford, St. Andrew's	Thomas Murphy, B.A., Th.M.	1302 Edward St.	Alexander Wilson	1382 Frederick St.
2 Rosetown	R. Malcolm Ransom, B.A., Th.B.	Box 302, Rosetown	Hugh Fraser	Rosetown
Gunnworth				
Oliver				
Saskatoon:—				
3 Parkview	C. A. Ronald Rowat, B.A.	504 Ave. I., North	T. G. McNay	1016 Ave. E., North
4 St. Andrew's	W. G. Brown, M.A., B.D.	535-24th St. E.	John L. McKinnon, B.A.	502-4th Ave. N.
5 Wilkie, St. Andrew's	Gordon S. Baulch, B.A.	Wilkie	F. A. Sitter	Wilkie
Traynor				
Mission Fields				
1 Biggar, St. Andrew's	Student		Hugh McKenzie	2nd Ave., Biggar
Palo				
2 Coleville, Scott Memorial	John Brent	Coleville	H. L. Dumouchel	Coleville
Dewar Lake				
Ealingford			James Inkster	Luseland
Luseland				
3 Dinsmore	Student			
Buffalo Lake				
Welcome Valley			*N. A. McKinnon	Paynton
4 Paynton	Supplied from North Battleford			
Grand Cheviot				

37. PRESBYTERY OF PRINCE ALBERT—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938 $ c	Number
		42				24					18	M				20		21		51.28	3
4	2	15				45										10		12		10.00	
		10																7			
		8														25		25	50		4
1		30			4	32	5	1		6	92								30	2.80	5
4		16			3	20	1		5		10				30				15		
		10									3				5	10			43		
		8			2	20					20				27	16			16	5.00	
		8			2	22			3						10	6			63	44.16	6
3		20	6		2	16	6				20								19		
		15			2	35					10										1
		21	4		2	25															1
26	23	842	59	5	71	974	51	12	27	91	870	6	3995	9467	9111	504	126	460	13100	529.04	
25	27	804	56	13	87	1069	40	14	2	57	857	7	4520	10707	11327	480	142	426	11471	444.12	
1		38	3				11		25	34	13					24		34	1629	84.92	
	4			8	16	95		2				1	525	1240	2216		16				

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	2	Number of Mission Fields	6
" Congregations in them	3	" Preaching Stations in them	21
" Augmented Charges	1	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	9
" Congregations in them	2	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	26

R. G. McKAY, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

38. PRESBYTERY OF SASKATOON

1	11	100	20	6	12	120	10			1	139	M	1800	3700	3293	17		74	3384	17.30	1
3	7	40	4		6	50	6	1		17	87	M	599	2500	888	58		33	980	77.70	2
		15	6		5	30									150				150	7.09	
		10				10									61				61		
1	3	96	5	2	17	170	1	3	5	3	106		1000	7372	1650	55		75	1769	61.66	3
1	21	360	15	4	48	496	8	3	7	6	621	M	2700	2850	6338	796	130	228	8329	703.65	4
2	3	35	4		7	45	3	1	2	1	67		1000		1220	5		34	1259	4.97	5
		20			2	15			1	2	22	M	50		90				100		
																			1112	8.94	1
											83	M	345	7253	1112				30		
2	3	50			7	51	1	1			10		20		30						
										8	33		315		445	20		63	568	20.00	2
4	2	16	2	1	1	6	4				15		18		27	10			37	10.00	
		6											30		30	10			40	10.00	
		13									11		98		98	10			108	10.00	
	1	7									33		247		247	10		30	287		3
3		25	1	2	1	14	4				4										
											8		40		98				98	1.52	
		23									19				20			15	35		4
2		18	1		1	4															

SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
No.				
5 Saskatoon, Mayfair	Student		*Mrs. Murray	210 Lena St
Thornton				
Grasswood				
Oilicana				
Others on Roll				
1	Donald Munro	1412 Frederick St., North Battleford, Sask.		
				Grand Total, 1938
				Grand Total, 1937
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 2
In Augmented Charges 3
In Ordained Mission Fields 1

Others on Roll 1
Total on Roll 7
Ministers on Appendix ..
Grand Total of Ministers 7

*Not Clerk of Session.

North Battleford, Sask., April 15, 1939.

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

1 Brownvale	H. K. Caslor (O.M.)	Brownvale	A. J. Bettison	Brownvale, Alta.
Blue Hawk				
Burnt Lee				
Figure Eight				
Griffin Creek				
Lac Cardinal	Nurse Deaconess			
Last Lake	Deaconess			
2 Fort St. John, Burch Church	Donald B. Cram	Fort St. John, B.C.	*Alvin Holland	Fort St. John, B.C.
Peace View				
Sunrise				
Charlie Lake				
3 Grande Prairie, Forbes Church	C. E. Fisher	Grande Prairie	T. Rooney	Grande Prairie, Alta.
Bear Lake				
Flying Shot				
4 Riverside, B.C.	Student		Murdoch Campbell, Sr.	Pouce Coupe, B.C.
Tupper Creek				
5 Dixonville	Student		R. Dixon	Dixonville, Alta.
Beaton Creek				
Hasel				
Chinook Valley				
6 Wanham	A. F. MacSween, B.A.	Wanham	*Mrs. Playton	Wanham
Fox Creek				
Heart Valley				
7 Blueberry Mountain				
Whitburn				
Gordondale				
8 Prestville	R. Moors (Deaconess)	Prestville, Alta.		
Royal Winner				
Silverwood				
9 Whitelaw	Student			
†Westvale				
†Presbytery of Peace River				
Appendix to Roll				
1	J. M. Fraser	Brownvale, Alta.		
				Grand Total, 1938
				Grand Total, 1937
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges ..
In Augmented Charges ..
In Ordained Mission Fields 4

Others on Roll ..
Total on Roll 4
Ministers on Appendix 1
Grand Total of Ministers 5

Grande Prairie, Alta., April 1, 1939.

†Reported by Treasurer. *Not an Elder.

38. PRESBYTERY OF SASKATOON—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
4		17			5	55					19		163	490	332	4			336	4.00	5
		20			4	30							15		85				85		
		8	2												20				20		
		8	1												40				40		
																					1
23	51	887	61	15	116	1096	37	9	15	38	1277	5	8440	24165	16274	995	130	552	18828	937.43	
24	52	846	44	4	114	1017	45	14	17	73	1277	6	8297	23943	16851	1012	112	546	18521	1035.30	
		41	17	11	2	79							143	222			18	6	307		
							8	5	2	35		1			577	17				97.87	
1	1																				

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 2
" Congregations in them 2
" Augmented Charges 3
" Congregations in them 6

Number of Mission Fields 5
" Preaching Stations in them 15
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields 10
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations 23

THOMAS MURPHY, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

39. PRESBYTERY OF PEACE RIVER

7		12			3	20					7	M		1000	110	15			125	61.60	1
		7			2	10										6		15	15		
		10	6													6			6		
		12			2										10	7			17		
	3	20													45	25		5	75	1.57	
		9	4													8			8		
		10									1									.20	
4												R H									2
3	3	30	1		7	35	2	2			53	R H	75		61	42		52	230	118.00	3
		16			1	20										50			50		
		10	2		1	25										25			25		
	1	6									14	M				15			15	17.85	4
2											12										5
4												M									
3		20			6						13	M	50		110	20		13	193	27.00	6
		10											10		6	4			20	4.00	
		12			1	10									6	5		20	31		
3		28	2		3	36							20			19		14	53	19.08	7
		15			4										10				10		
		15													15				15		
3		28			3	30					5	M			62	20	2		84	29.27	8
		9			1	17										8			8	5.20	
		5			1	10										5			5	4.30	
																					9
																				2.00	
																				5.00	
																					1
29	7	284	15		35	213	2	2			105	7	155	1000	435	274	2	119	985	295.07	
27	8	297	25	3	44	350	7				113	6		1308	993	821	47	105	1967	710.69	
2								2		2	8	1	155					14			
	1	13	10	3	9	137	5							308	558	547	45		982	415.62	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges ..
" Congregations in them ..
" Augmented Charges ..
" Congregations in them ..

Number of Mission Fields 9
" Preaching Stations in them 29
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields 9
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations 29

C. E. FISHER, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Chauvin	Student		*L. D'Albertanson	Chauvin
	Artland			*Alex. McCrae	Artland, Sask.
	Edenglassie			*E. A. Pitman, Jr.	Chauvin, Alta.
	Killarney			*Jas. Allen	Chauvin, Alta.
	Prosperity			*Chas. Miller	Chauvin, Alta.
	Edmonton:—				
2	First	Ross K. Cameron, M.A.	First Presbyterian Church.	A. B. MacKenzie	10933-83rd St.
3	Rupert Street	Wm. Simons	10921-83rd Ave.	Thomas Dodds	10630-72nd Ave.
4	St. Andrew's	F. D. Roxburgh, M.A., D.D.	11309-63rd St.	Alex. Gibb	11334-93rd St.
5	Strathcona	R. J. Burton	9745-86th Ave.	Geo. W. Scott	9208-89th St.
6	Westmount	Student		W. T. Tait	11314-126th St.
7	Lloydminster, Knox	Andrew Walker	Lloydminster, Alta.	R. E. Stevenson	Lloydminster, Alta.
8	Wainwright	R. S. Stevens, D.D. (Supply)	Wainwright, Alta.	Wm. Carsell	Wainwright, Alta.
9	Wetaskiwin	R. J. Burton	9745-86th Ave., Edmonton.	J. E. Fraser	Wetaskiwin, Alta.
10	Vegreville	Supply		*A. G. Stott	Vegreville, Alta.
	Ranfurly	Supply		A. W. Thompson	Ranfurly, Alta.
	Mission Fields				
1	Beverly			*Mrs. Wm. Lammie	Beverly, Alta.
2	Earlie	Miss Ruby Walker (Deaconess)	Lloydminster, Alta.	*Mrs. Wm. Ross	Earlie, Alta.
	Kinnaird			*Mrs. G. S. Malcolm	Kitscoty, Alta.
	Thomasville			*E. Harrison	Blackfoot, Alta.
	Westcentre			*H. Stevens	Kitscoty, Alta.
	Wildwood			*Mrs. Geo. Jack	Kitscoty, Alta.
3	Killam	Student		Wm. Grant, Sr.	Killam, Alta.
4	Vermilion	Student		*Geo. Webb	Vermilion, Alta.
	Ganton			*Gordon Trevithick	Tolland, Alta.
	Watson			*Mr. Proctor	Hindville, Alta.
	Chatsworth and Ottawa			*David Cameron	Vermilion, Alta.
	Union			*James Rankin	Vermilion, Alta.
5	Cherridale	R. J. Burton	9745-86th Ave., Edmonton.		
6	Leduc (Hungarian)	Kalman D. Toth, B.D., Th.M., Th.D.	334-12th Ave. W., Calgary.	Andrew Csigmadia	Genesee, Alta.
	Genesee				
	Warburg				
	Appendix to Roll				
1		E. M. Glowa	9922-110th Ave., Edmonton, Alta.		
2		John Edgar, M.A.	Ireland		
					Grand Total, 1938
					Grand Total, 1937
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges 1
In Augmented Charges 3
In Ordained Mission Fields 1

Others on Roll ....
Total on Roll 5
Ministers on Appendix 2
Grand Total of Ministers 7

*Not Clerks of Session.

EDMONTON, ALTA., MARCH 17, 1939.

40. PRESBYTERY OF EDMONTON

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
5		30		2	36						14	M	307		450	18			468	18 30	1
		8		2	11						8		30		30				30	5.00	
		20									14		40		40				40		
		8		1	23					1	24		48		48	8			56	8.30	
		10									5		35		35				35		
1	30	412	17	4	43	411	41	39	24	10	897		4000	10500	19739	3150	1840	716	25445	3166.50	2
1	5	28	1		12	92	3			1	48		316		653	96	3	32	784	95.00	3
1	7	80	10	4	20	250	9	3		16	194	M	1300		2508	115	9	93	2725	115.52	4
1	5	45	3	2	11	92	8		1		94	R H	1200	1260	2774	101	39	57	2971	101.29	5
1	2	53			10	105					55	M	738	3875	1460	60		90	1610	70.29	6
1	3	40	10	3	15	86	2			2	98	M	1000		1815	72	25	5	1917	71.97	7
1	3	51	5		7	50	1			1	78	M	545	200	677	44			722	44.35	8
1	2	20	5								53	M	250	250	250				250		9
2		18		3	3	20	2		2		15		229	300	229	1		26	256	2.35	10
	2	6			4	18				9	16		240	1400	248	9		15	272	8.50	

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
1	Carstairs, Knox	D. St. C. Campbell, B.A.	Carstairs, Alta.	W. H. Carmichael	Carstairs, Alta.
	Dog Pound			*Bruce Hunter	Dog Pound, Alta.
2	Innisfail, St. Andrew's	R. L. Taylor, B.A.	Innisfail, Alta.	R. H. Gibson	Innisfail, Alta.
	Olds, St. Andrew's			John Ross	Olds, Alta.
3	Red Deer, Knox	John H. Low (Supply)	Red Deer, Alta.	P. Gordon	Red Deer, Alta.
4	Sylvan Lake, Memorial	R. A. Sinclair, B.A.	Sylvan Lake, Alta.	†J. P. Simpson	Sylvan Lake, Alta.
	Evarts			A. L. Stewart	Evarts, Alta.
	Centreville			F. M. Hodges	R.R. 1, Red Deer, Alta
	Mission Fields				
1	Benalto	Student		†D. M. Campbell	Eckville, Alta.
	Eckville				
	Hespero				
2	Ewing	Student		Charles Racher	Erskine, Alta.
3	Lousana	Student		S. R. Kerr	Lousana, Alta.
	Trenville				
	Doris				
4	Penhold	Supplied from Red Deer		A. B. McGorman	Penhold, Alta.
5	Red Deer (Hungarian)	K. D. Toth, B.D., Th.M., Th.D.	334-12th Ave. W., Calgary, Alta.	†John Buga	R.R. 1, Red Deer, Alta
	Rimbey				
	Evergreen				
6	Rocky Mountain House	Student		Ernest Ross	Rocky Mountain House, Alta.
7	Willowdale	Student		James McPhee	R.R. 1, Penhold
	Brooksley				
	Edwell				
	Valley Centre				
	Appendix to Roll				
1		A. H. Leslie	109 MacPherson Ave.,	Toronto, Ont.	
2		D. J. Townley	Carrichue, County De	rry, Ireland	
3		D. K. Andrews	7 Prospect Bank Rd.,	Edinburgh, Scotland	
					Grand Total, 1938
					Grand Total, 1937
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
In S.S. Charges ..
In Augmented Charges 2
In Ordained Mission Fields 1

Others on Roll ..
Total on Roll 3
Ministers on Appendix 3
Grand Total of Ministers 6

CARSTAIRS, ALTA., APRIL 7, 1939.

*Not an Elder. †Not Clerk of Session.

41. PRESBYTERY OF RED DEER

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
2	2	50	1	1	6	53	3		1		50	M	850		973	80	3	105	1181	100.00	1
		20			3	34							150		222	20		4	246		
2	6	70	15		12	95	3				99	M	756		1460	188		23	2427	188.00	2
	4	55			6	58	3				59	M	541	397	765	44		41	1391	46.55	
1	5	130	12	2	9	108	3	6			154	M	1500	1000	2686	171	50	125	3032	146.21	3
3	2	40	10	4	6	45	4		4	7	55	M	600		1000	45		5	1050	45.00	4
	1	15	1		5	28					27		250		295	4			299		
	1	15	1	1							13		85		100	5			105	5.25	
3	2	11									13		78		240				240		1
		20	6		7	60						M	78	242	282				296		
	1	12					2	4			6		42		280				322		
1	2	14			4	40					21		145		145	41	7		193	41.51	2
3	3	35	1		3	26					25	M	40		95		3		170		3
	1	15									10		8						8		
		30			2	8					10		3						6		
1	1	7	4				3				25	M	120		200				200		4
3	1	25					1				30										5
1	3	98	12		14	192	3	6	1		60	M	385	700	865	50	69	60	1044	50.00	6
4	1	7			2	16					22	M	184		326		44	82	452	2.00	7
		7									10		104		104				104		
	1										19		100		125	3			128	3.15	
		20			4	33					20		208		208				208		
																					1
																					2
																					3
24	37	696	63	8	83	796	25	16	6	7	728	10	6227	2339	10371	651	176	445	13102	627.67	
23	34	699	54	5	97	870	21	7	14	13	671	10	6392	2045	9462	757	161	385	10863	749.79	
1	3		9	3			4	9			57			294	909		15	60	2239		
		3			14	74			8	6			165			106				122.12	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 1
" Congregations in them 1
" Augmented Charges 2
" Congregations in them 4

Number of Mission Fields 8
" Preaching Stations in them 19
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields 11
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations 24

D. ST. C. CAMPBELL, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

STATISTICS AND FINANCES FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address	No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
No.																		$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1 Banff, St. Paul's	C. McKay Cameron, M.A.	Banff, Alta	John Thomson	334 Marten St., Banff	1	4	110	2	..	8	103	1	....	3	....	89	....	1200	5000	1833	107	564	118	2622	131.25	1
2 Bassano, Knox	Supply		E. L. Skerritt	Bassano, Alta.		3	35	....	..	11	112	....	....	....	....	61	M	410	200	891	75	.....	.....	966	75.00	2
Calgary:—																										
3 Grace	Alfred Bright, B.A., B.D.	1721-9A St. W.	J. A. Clark	531-22nd Ave. W.	1	32	525	24	..	42	364	26	24	15	90	1018	....	4320	46800	13000	2388	475	957	16820	2335.62	3
4 Knox	T. A. Rodger, B.A.	240-13th Ave. W.	James Smart	1315-12th Ave. W.	1	7	100	10	5	14	140	14	8	....	20	224	M	2400	14000	4483	350	200	225	5258	299.27	4
5 North Hill	John Hart	112-14th Ave. W.	W. Duncan	138-8th Ave. N.W.	1	6	80	4	..	15	109	4	6	8	2	132	R H	1200	3862	2179	107	.....	86	2372	106.88	5
6 St. Andrew's	R. H. Williams, B.D., Ph.D., D.D	803-13th St. E.	Alex. Reid	350-3rd Ave. N.E.	1	10	160	8	..	19	156	4	.....	.....	4	292	M	1800	2157	5185	276	58	101	5620	265.95	6
7 High River	W. J. Cook, B.A. (O.M.)	High River, Alta	W. C. McDougall	High River, Alta	2	2	30	.....	..	4	24	.....	.....	.....	.....	68	....	589	.....	917	100	14	24	1055	97.95	7
Cayley							10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13	....	163	.....	163	25	.....	24	212	25.00	
8 Three Hills, St. Andrew's	W. A. Kincaid (O.M.)	Three Hills	*Harris Davidson	Ghost Pine Creek, Alta	..	..	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	1376	.....	50	100	1526	5.53	8
Bethel					4	1	23	.....	.....	6	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	49	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20.00	
Orkney					..	2	7	.....	.....	6	26	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	....	.....	.....	586	80	60	.....	726	80.00	
Sarcee					..	1	15	2	..	6	33	....	1	.....	.....	24	....	267	.....	240	15	.....	5	260	19.90	
					..	2	11	1	..	4	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	....	240	.....							
Mission Fields																										
1 Calgary, Pleasant Heights	Under Grace Session				1	1	6	.....	.....	5	92	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	7	.....	.....	401	2	.....	6	409	2.24	1
2 Calgary, Hungarian	Kalman D. Toth, B.D., Th.M., Th.D.	334-12th Ave. W., Calgary, Alta.	Michael Komlodi	637 Meredith Rd., Calgary, Alta.	1	1	40	7	..	6	49	8	.....	.....	.....	331	73	†875	.....	579	125	.....	43	747	125.00	2
Others on Roll																										
1	D. J. Graham, B.D.	930-15th Ave. W., Calgary, Alta			.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Appendix to Roll																										
1	H. G. Gratz, M.A., B.D.	Sunny Slope, Alta			.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
2	M. G. Garabedian, B.A., B.D.	High River, Alta			.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
Grand Total, 1938					14	81	1152	58	5	146	1278	57	39	26	457	2084	4	12589	72019	31833	3650	1421	1689	38593	3589.59	
Grand Total, 1937					14	89	1150	71	9	157	1206	49	72	49	52	2471	5	13181	72984	35462	3813	1165	1878	42416	3872.67	
Increase					..	..	2	.....	.....	.....	72	8	.....	.....	405	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	256	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Decrease					..	8	.....	13	4	11	.....	.....	33	23	.....	387	1	592	965	3629	163	.....	189	3823	283.08	

Number of Ministers on Roll:—
- In S.S. Charges 3
- In Augmented Charges 2
- In Ordained Mission Fields 2

Others on Roll 1
Total on Roll 8
Ministers on Appendix 2
Grand Total of Ministers 10

Number of Self-sustaining Charges 3
" Congregations in them 3
" Augmented Charges 5
" Congregations in them 9

Number of Mission Fields 2
" Preaching Stations in them 2
Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields .. 10
" " Congregations and Preaching Stations . 14

803-13th St. E., Calgary, Alta., April 3, 1939.

*Representative Elder.

†Salary paid by Board of Missions.

R. H. WILLIAMS, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
No.				
1 Lethbridge, St. Andrew's	E. L. Garvin	803-6th Ave. W	John Garrett	624-12th Ave. N.
2 Macleod, St. Andrew's	A. J. Sinclair, B.A., B.D.	Macleod	Hugh Mackintosh	Macleod
3 Medicine Hat, St. John's	W. D. Grant Hollingworth, B.A.	258-1st St. W	John Hill	216-7th St.
Mission Fields				
1 Granum	Student		R. A. Macleod	Granum
Jumbo Valley			M. R. Mathewson	Granum
2 Commerce	Miss Freida Matthews, W.M.S.	Shaughnessy		
Shaughnessy				
Rolling Hill				
3 Brooks	Hungarian field organization in	progress	Belars Koe	Tilley
Milk River			James Dorogde	Taber
Taber			Steven Tendro	Raymond
Lethbridge (Hungarian)			Steves Mermas	406-4th Ave. S., Lethbridge.
				Grand Total, 1938
				Grand Total, 1937
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	3
In S.S. Charges	2	Total on Roll	
In Augmented Charges	1	Ministers on Appendix	
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	3

Macleod, Alta., April 14, 1939.

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

1 Cranbrook, Knox	Vacant		J. S. Harris	324 Garden Ave., Cranbrook.
2 Trail, First	F. G. St. Denis	1469 Bay Ave., Trail	J. E. Carter	1215 Green Ave., Trail
Mission Fields				
1 Creston, St. Stephen's	W. E. Smyth, B.A.	Creston	M. J. Boyd	Creston
2 Grand Forks	Closed		E. L. Hutchins	Kimberley
3 Kimberley, St. Andrew's	Student		James May	403 Richard St., Nelson
4 Nelson, First	Student		H. S. Nelson	New Denver
5 New Denver	Student		*Mrs. M. Webb	Silverton
Silverton			P. Swan	Slocan City
Slocan City				
Appendix to Roll				
1	James F. Bell	Cranbrook, B.C.		
				Grand Total, 1938
				Grand Total, 1937
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	..
In S.S. Charges	..	Total on Roll	2
In Augmented Charges	1	Ministers on Appendix	1
In Ordained Mission Fields	1	Grand Total of Ministers	3

Trail, B.C., March 27, 1939.

*Not an Elder.

43. PRESBYTERY OF MACLEOD

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	8	110	14	1	16	137	6	2	2	1	210	M	1800	8466	6028	132	.....	104	6264	121.23	
1	4	47	9	..	5	30	4	2	.....	6	45	M	1210	.....	1500	50	20	35	1815	9.42	2
1	15	210	9	9	23	210	51	9	1	8	389	M	2350	.....	7308	800	52	273	7308	800.00	3
																				25.03	1
2	3	24	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	31	.....	172	1045	272	25	.....	.....	355	25.00	
..	2	24	2	..	4	31	.....	.....	1	1	27	.....	234	.....	390	25	.....	20	435	2.00	2
3	.....	.....	1	..	2	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	2	.....	.....	13	44.25	
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	142	44	.....	8	200	1.60	
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	2	.....	.....	14	.....	3
4	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	
	8	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	75	.....	
	9	28	.....	.....	2	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	77	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	.....	
	9	20	.....	.....	3	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
12	58	490	35	10	61	612	61	14	4	16	849	3	5766	9511	15663	1080	72	440	16519	1028.53	
13	28	399	40	1	62	531	8	7	5	12	687	3	5386	1250	9720	929	12	480	11475	871.36	
..	30	91	.....	9	.....	81	53	7	.....	4	162	.....	380	8261	5943	151	60	.....	5044	157.17	
1	.....	.....	5	..	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	2	Number of Mission Fields	3
" Congregations in them	2	" Preaching Stations in them	9
" Augmented Charges	1	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	6
" Congregations in them	1	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	12

ARTHUR J. SINCLAIR, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

44. PRESBYTERY OF KOOTENAY

1	3	92	3	..	8	63	7	19	2	.....	99	M	1600	.....	2837	29	.....	120	2986	.....	1
1	4	110	13	1	16	215	1	3	2	2	141	.....	1080	1000	1573	150	.....	54	1777	161.30	2
																				100.39	1
																				25.00	2
1	2	65	3	..	10	81	.....	1	.....	1	69	M	616	.....	760	110	23	74	967	50.00	3
																					4
2	2	102	9	2	26	287	2	1	1	2	60	M	520	3000	1897	50	11	34	1992	52.25	5
1	2	15	.....	.....	3	20	.....	.....	.....	6	24	.....	419	3000	459	.....	.....	48	507	3.80	
3	2	15	1	..	5	36	3	2	1	.....	27	M	373	.....	347	52	.....	45	444	1.25	
.....	.....	4	.....	.....	1	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	100	.....	100	4	1	.....	104		
..	1	10	.....	6	3	35	7	.....	.....	1	11	M	130	.....	130	1	.....	.....	131		
																					1
9	16	413	29	9	72	741	20	26	6	12	432	5	4838	7000	8103	396	35	375	8908	393.99	
9	17	500	47	7	68	752	27	18	6	20	409	5	4982	8700	9201	393	18	432	10088	366.32	
.....	.....	.....	2	4	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	23	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	17	.....	.....	27.67	
..	1	87	18	.....	11	7	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	144	1700	1098	.....	.....	57	1180	.....	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	1	Number of Mission Fields	5
" Congregations in them	1	" Preaching Stations in them	7
" Augmented Charges	1	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	7
" Congregations in them	1	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	9

FREDERIC ST. DENIS, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939

STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	No.				
1	Chilliwack	J. Alan Munro, B.A.	133 Wellington Ave., Chilliwack.	J. D. Keith	Chilliwack
2	Kamloops	Malcolm S. Blackburn	253 Battle St., Kamloops.	Alex. Whitecross	Kamloops
3	Prince Rupert	Harold G. Funston, B.A.	Prince Rupert	W. W. C. O'Neill, B.A.	Prince Rupert
	New Westminster:—				
4	Gordon, Edmonds	D. J. Donaghue, B.A.	2205 Walker Ave.	W. P. Philps	1738 Edmonds St.
5	Knox, Sapperton	Gardiner Dickey, B.A., B.D.	407 E. Columbia St.	Peter Dall	Keary St.
6	St. Aidan's	Thos. E. Roulston	206-7th Ave.	Geo. Halliday	1416-8th Ave.
7	St. Andrew's	S. J. Sharkey, B.A., B.D.	313 Carnarvon St.	K. R. Matheson	714-4th St.
	Hammond, Pitt Meadows.				
8	St. Stephen's	P. C. McCrae	420-7th St.	David Lightbody	1602 Edinburgh St.
	North Vancouver:—				
9	St. Andrew's	J.C.McLean-Bell,Phm.B.,B.S.A	211 E. 28th St.		
	St. Stephen's			Walter Barlow	242 W. 15th St.
	Vancouver:—				
10	Central	W. A. Cameron, B.A., D.D.	1100 Thurlow St.	Harry White	2007 W. 63rd Ave.
11	Fairview	W. Ellis, M.A., B.D.	4745 W. 6th Ave.	T. H. Boyd	3566 W. 13th Ave.
12	Kerrisdale	Harry Lennox, B.A.	3158 W. 37th Ave.	C. W. Mitchell	3549 W. 40th Ave.
13	Mount Pleasant	F. G. Fowler, B.A., B.D.	3496 Quebec St.	Jas. J. Makepeace	4577 W. 5th Ave.
14	Richmond	J. McTurk	8464 Adera St.	Hugh McArthur	Eburne, B.C.
15	Robertson	Vacant		Geo. H. MacKay	1955 Charles St.
16	St. Paul's	J. R. Frizell, B.A., LL.B.	1150 E. 18th Ave.	James Mitchell	1200 E. 12th Ave.
17	Vancouver Heights	T. H. B. Somers, M.A. (O.M.)	3766 Eton St., Vancouver, B.C.	W. J. McFadden	4075 Eton St.
18	West Point Grey	Vacant		J. Clark	3922 W. 13th Ave.
	Mission Fields				
1	Armstrong	Supply		Dr. W. B. McKechnie	Armstrong
	Vernon				
2	Buchanan	D. A. Fowlie, B.A.	4460 Welwyn St., Vancouver.	John Gillies	3420 E. 26th Ave., Vancouver.
3	Chinese	K. H. Yeung	261 Keefer St., Vancouver.	Thos. P. Wallace	4324 Knight Rd., Vancouver.
4	Cloverdale	Alex. T. Macintosh	R.R. 2, Langley Prairie	J. D. McMillan	Whiterock, B.C.
5	Hunter	Wm. Bell	268 N. Nanaimo St., Vancouver.	Rev. Wm. Bell	268 N. Nanaimo St., Vancouver.
	Knox				
	South Hill				
6	Mount Lehman	J. R. Wilson	1538 W. Marine Dr., Vancouver.	Peter Edge	Bradner
	Bradner				
7	Murrayville	W. J. Forbes Robertson	Murrayville	J. H. Somerville	R.R. 1, Langley Prairie
	Coghlan				
8	Penticton	Student Supply		Frank Brown	Penticton
9	Salmon Arm	Student Supply		W. E. Brett	Salmon Arm
	Canoe				
10	St. Columba	J. S. Patterson	1943 London St., New Westminster.	R. McKillop	1765 E. 35th Ave., Vancouver.
	Livingstone				
11	Strawberry Hill	Student Supply		H. R. Reed	R.R. 1, New Westminster.
	Newton				
	†Main Street				
	†Presbytery of Westminster				
	†Stewart				
	Others on Roll				
1	Supt. Chinese Missions	D. A. Smith, B.A.	175 W. 10th Ave., Vancouver, B.C.		
2	Retired	Thos. Wilson	5586 Larch St., Vancouver, B.C.		
3	Retired	Thos. Oswald	882 Formby St., New Westminster, B.C.		
4	Retired	David Lister	1075 Gilford St., Vancouver, B.C.		
5	Retired	Alex. Esler, M.A., D.D.			
6	Retired	Duncan Campbell, B.A., D.D.	431 Garrett St., New Westminster, B.C.		

45. PRESBYTERY OF WESTMINSTER

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes	Amount Raised by W. M. S.	Total Amount Raised for all purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938	Number
													$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ c	
1	6	200	6	..	14	119	11	5	2	4	214	M	1560	500	3800	431	176	133	4540	432.41	1
1	4	106	20	..	13	165	6	1	2	1	122	M	1400	1700	2711	172	.....	44	2927	174.47	2
1	3	120	1	1	12	100	9	2	.....	.....	115	M	1600	15000	2965	34	.....	61	3060	38.77	3
1	9	100	3	..	14	105	2	3	2	1	173	....	1500	.....	2100	305	17	138	2560	335.00	4
1	4	63	6	..	18	136	....	6	4	....	98	M	1000	.....	1296	130	25	51	1502	170.05	5
1	5	50	3	..	14	160	4	3	.....	.....	86	M	862	.....	1569	132	.....	73	1774	132.45	6
2	7	111	4	3	7	50	14	2	2	2	223	M	1520	4800	2956	268	.....	155	3379	266.41	7
..	2	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	16	....	190	.....	220	12	.....	19	251	12.00	
1	5	50	4	1	12	100	6	6	....	4	147	M	1320	.....	2355	108	.....	130	2593	108.40	8
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2	7	21	.....	.....	2	20	.....	.....	2	....	84	....	700	.....	917	28	.....	.....	945	30.10	9
..	9	77	6	2	13	233	12	2	....	26	135	....	1100	.....	2084	163	55	114	2416	162.66	
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
1	17	197	6	..	14	159	6	19	8	69	529	....	3000	23983	8938	1428	109	439	10914	1428.20	10
1	14	137	.....	..	17	77	8	.....	.....	71	262	....	2700	570	4488	465	87	239	5279	484.56	11
1	13	172	6	..	17	148	9	25	3	2	248	....	2200	.....	4676	631	33	447	5787	630.81	12
1	13	125	16	..	15	90	7	5	6	....	316	....	1800	17000	4976	522	28	230	5756	539.72	13
1	7	72	10	..	9	72	3	3	2	2	115	M	1200	.....	3540	1468	61	348	5417	1397.32	15
1	14	193	3	4	27	289	12	3	16	83	371	....	1770	.....	2840	127	30	112	3109	125.00	16
1	7	100	4	..	14	130	....	9	1	2	154	....	1500	10000	1200	85	3	41	1329	86.15	17
1	5	50	11	1	8	60	5	1	7	28	112	....	700	6700	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
1	7	125	15	2	12	161	14	9	10	13	233	....	1139	4775	2651	202	.....	102	2955	158.96	18
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	39	....	600	.....	903	146	.....	133	1182	145.00	1
2	3	27	3	..	4	24	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	352	.....	
..	.....	20	.....	.....	2	10	7	10	....	10	30	....	195	.....	307	.....	45	.....	.....	.....	
1	2	51	6	..	9	82	.....	.....	.....	.....	27	....	520	3127	951	49	.....	4	1004	30.00	2
1	2	8	5	11	12	116	1	1	1	1	92	M	*1440	260	2163	188	300	71	2722	188.00	3
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
1	2	40	3	..	.....	.....	29	.....	.....	.....	29	....	156	.....	211	.....	.....	.....	211	.....	4
3	2	20	.....	.....	7	23	11	8	3	1	32	....	290	.....	705	10	.....	12	727	17.10	5
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2	.....	
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	73	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22	.....	.....	22	22.00	
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	36	3	1	.....	.....	4	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	175	12.50	6
2	2	12	.....	.....	3	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	....	150	.....	175	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	....	150	.....	180	.....	.....	.....	180	12.50	
..	.....	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	M	504	.....	919	52	2	63	1036	53.26	7
2	3	40	.....	.....	3	27	....	1	1	1	13	....	104	.....	249	11	3	.....	263	11.25	
..	.....	15	.....	.....	4	30	....	1	1	1	76	....	500	3000	703	.....	.....	.....	703	84.11	8
..	.....	19	.....	.....	4	45	.....	.....	.....	.....	57	....	312	.....	328	.....	13	.....	341	.....	9
1	4	63	1	1	5	27	10	22	....	1	10	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2	3	28	....	1	2	23	1	2	.....	.....	81	....	650	.....	1321	34	.....	31	1386	5.61	10
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4.44	
2	5	57	.....	.....	14	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	12	....	186	.....	272	14	2	.....	288	10.25	11
2	1	12	.....	.....	6	42	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	M	260	.....	415	25	.....	.....	440	25.00	
..	.....	33	.....	.....	4	45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.00	
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	86.68	
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SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Appendix to Roll				
1		C. A. Mitchell	Bradner, B.C.		
2		W. Akitt	Armstrong, B.C.		
3		W. A. Wyllie, B.A.	Kamloops, B.C.		
4		Alex. Dunn, M.A.	Caulfield, West Vancouver, B.C.		
5		D. L. Oliver	Haney, B.C.		
6		T. Spencer Baynes, M.A.	3975 Blenheim St., Vancouver, B.C.		
7		Bryce Innis	4131 Eton St., Vancouver, B.C.		
8		H. B. Bonsall	All Nations Bible College, 37 Beulah Hills, London, S.E. 19, England.		
9		W. A. Greer	Vancouver, B.C.		
10		J. J. Peterson	1527 W. 63rd St., Seattle, Washington		
11		Alex. T. Macintosh	R.R. 2, Langley Prairie B.C.		
12		A. C. Wishart, B.A.	6991 Cypress St., Vancouver, B.C.		
13	Foreign Missionary	James Dunn, M.A.	Georgetown, British Guiana		
14		J. R. Wilson	1538 W. Marine Dr.,	Vancouver, B.C.	
15		J. W. Stevenson, Ph.D.	Nelson, B.C.		
16		H. P. S. Luttrell, B.A.	5405 Trafalgar St., Vancouver, B.C.		
17		Wm. Bell	268 N. Nanaimo St.,	Vancouver, B.C.	
18		H. N. Maclean, Ph.D.	4348 W. 14th Ave., Vancouver, B.C.		
19		J. S. Patterson	1943 London St., New	Westminster, B.C.	
20		R. C. Acheson	4066 Dundas St., Vancouver, B.C.		
				Grand Total, 1938	
				Grand Total, 1937	
				Increase	
				Decrease	

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	6
In S.S. Charges	9	Total on Roll	22
In Augmented Charges	7	Ministers on Appendix	20
In Ordained Mission Fields	..	Grand Total of Ministers	42

211 E. 28th St., North Vancouver, March 28, 1939.

†Reported by Treasurer.

SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Victoria:—					
1 St. Andrew's	J. Lewis W. McLean, M.A.	63 Linden Ave	A. M. Boyd, M.A.	1528 Elford St.	
2 St. Paul's	James Hyde	511 Mary St.	Geo. McCandless	1587 Hampshire Rd.	
	Mission Fields				
1 Victoria, Knox	J. M. Niven (supply)	107 Bushby St.	J. M. Cooper	1311 Gladstone Ave.	
2 Nanaimo, St. Andrew's	E. G. MacDonald (O.M.)	Nanaimo, B.C.	Wm. Inglis	482 MacKleary St.	
3 Gorge, Victoria	T. H. McAllister	3147 Qu'Appelle St.	Wm. Sanders	R.R. 3, Burnside Rd.	
Erskine					
4 Duncan	E. Barnes	Duncan	T. Holway	Duncan	
5 Sooke	S. Lundie, B.A.	Sooke			
6 Victoria, Chinese	M. F. Leung	1803 Blanchard St.	W. Lee	640 Cormorant St.	
7 Port Alberni	Vacant		James Mowat	Alberni	
Hollywood S. School					
	Others on Roll				
1 Retired	T. S. Glassford, B.A.	Alberni, B.C.			
2 Retired	P. McNabb	Sub. P.O. 22, Victoria, B.C.			

45. PRESBYTERY OF WESTMINSTER—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938 $ c	Number
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39	187	2542	142	27	346	3092	190	150	73	334	4333	11	33338	91415	68071	7468	999	3290	79828	7643.24	
41	190	2468	99	28	342	3284	161	141	85	232	4417	14	32784	91918	65271	6595	3236	3485	78587	6491.64	
..	..	74	43	..	4	..	29	9	..	102	..	..	554	..	2800	873	..	..	1241	1151.60	
2	3	..	1	..	..	192	..	..	12	..	84	3	..	503	..	..	2237	195	..	..	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	10	Number of Mission Fields	11
" Congregations in them	11	" Preaching Stations in them	19
" Augmented Charges	8	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	29
" Congregations in them	9	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	39

*Salary paid by Board of Missions.

J. C. McLEAN-BELL, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

46. PRESBYTERY OF VICTORIA

1	18	235	5	..	12	72	5	49	6	67	459	....	2750	.....	7260	1305	50	878	9493	1322.61	1
1	3	80	2	..	15	177	2	1	....	4	143	....	1800	.....	2000	181	95	174	2450	204.60	2
1	3	28	3	..	7	57	1	2	....	3	74	....	480	.....	989	96	11	159	1255	81.34	1
1	8	54	10	..	9	116	....	....	4	3	114	M	933	2000	1355	82	.....	47	1484	81.94	2
1	5	45	6	..	9	68	3	2	....	2	40	....	480	.....	616	100	14	49	779	100.00	3
1	2	20	1	..	8	27	....	....	....	5	14	....	254	.....	385	20	1	40	446	20.20	
1	3	21	2	..	3	10	4	....	....	1	34	M	681	.....	626	70	15	10	721	73.00	4
1	....	21	....	..	3	22	....	....	1	1	34	M	681	.....	797	76	38	75	986	76.00	5
1	5	19	....	..	6	125	1	2	2	....	68	M	*1440	.....	822	280	442	91	1635	270.00	6
1	2	28	....	..	8	80	4	3	....	....	22	....	600	.....	701	68	.....	38	807	68.00	7
..	..	..	....	..	3	35	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	....	22	.....	.....	.....	22.00	
																					1
																					2

PRESBYTERY ROLL, MARCH 31st, 1939 — STATISTICS AND FINANCES

No.	Pastoral Charge or Mission Field	Minister	P. O. Address	Clerk of Session	P. O. Address
	Appendix to Roll				
1	Retired	E. Macqueen	(Deceased)		
2	Retired	A. W. Gazley, B.A.	1331 Pandora Ave., Victoria, B.C.		
3	Retired	J. M. Niven	107 Bushby St., Victoria, B.C.		
4	Retired	W. F. Gold	1314 Yates St., Victoria, B.C.		
5		D. Munro	1734 Lulie St., Victoria, B.C.		
					Grand Total, 1938
					Grand Total, 1937
					Increase
					Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	2
In S.S. Charges	2	Total on Roll	9
In Augmented Charges	..	Ministers on Appendix	5
In Ordained Mission Fields	5	Grand Total of Ministers	14

Sooke, B.C., March 4, 1939.

CENTRAL INDIA

1 Amkhut, First Bhil Church	*Padre Daniel Hamiro	Amkhut, C.I., via Dohad.	Guman Bhai	Amkhut, C.I., via Dohad.
	*D. E. McDonald	Amkhut, C.I., via Dohad.		
2 Sardi, Second Bhil Church	D. E. McDonald	Amkhut, C.I., via Dohad.	Samson Bhai	Amkhut, C.I., via Dohad.
3 Mendha, Third Bhil Church	C. P. Young, B.A.	Bhabra, C.I., via Dohad	Pidliya Dawaliya	Bhabra, C.I., via Dohad
4 Jobat, Zion Church	*Padre Jigiyo	Jobat, C.I., via Dohad	Mangtiya Bhai	Jobat, C.I., via Dohad
	*C. L. Wood, B.A., B.D.	Jobat, C.I., via Dohad		
5 Chicheniya Church	Padre Tezlo	Talawad, Borjhar, C.I., via Dohad.	Daula Bhai	Borjhar, C.I., via Dohad.
6 Barwani	A. E. Toombs	Barwani, C.I., via Mhow.	Dwarka Prasad Master	Barwani, C.I., via Mhow.
7 Khalghat	A. E. Toombs	Barwani, C.I., via Mhow.	Bhoja Bhai	Khalghat, C.I., via Mhow.
8 AliRajpur (unorganized)	C. P. Young, B.A.	Bhabra, C.I., via Dohad		
9 Talawad (Home Mission)	Padre Tezlo	Talawad, Borjhar, C.I., via Dohad.		
	Others on Roll			
1 Retired	J. Buchanan, B.A., D.D., K.I.H., M.D.	Rasalpura, Mhow, C.I.		
				Grand Total, 1938
				Grand Total, 1937
				Increase
				Decrease

Number of Ministers on Roll:—		Others on Roll	1
In S.S. Charges	4	Total on Roll	9
In Augmented Charges	2	Ministers on Appendix	..
In Ordained Mission Fields	2	Grand Total of Ministers	9

Amkhut, Central India, April 5, 1939.

*Associate ministers.

46. PRESBYTERY OF VICTORIA—*Continued*

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1938

No. of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants: On Profession of Faith	Communicants: By Certificate	Communicants: By Certificate Received	Communicants: By Death or Otherwise Removed from Roll	No. of Communicants on Roll Dec. 31, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation $	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations $	Amount Raised for all Congregational purposes $	Amount Raised for Budget Funds of Church $	Amount Raised for other Missionary and Benevolent purposes $	Amount Raised by W. M. S. $	Total Amount Raised for all purposes $	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year ending December 31st, 1938 $ c	Number
																					1
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																					3
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																					5
10	49	551	29	..	83	789	20	59	13	86	1002	3	8393	2000	15551	2300	666	1561	20056	2319.69	
10	46	574	15	2	99	801	16	7	13	25	1022	3	8871	2000	16001	2314	751	1654	20699	2228.34	
..	3	..	14	..	..	..	4	52	..	61	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	91.35	
..	..	23	..	2	16	12	..	..	..	..	20	..	478	..	450	14	85	93	643	..	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	2	Number of Mission Fields	7
" Congregations in them	2	" Preaching Stations in them	8
" Augmented Charges	..	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	9
" Congregations in them	..	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	10

*Salary paid by Board of Missions.

SAMUEL LUNDIE, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

47. PRESBYTERY OF VINDHIYA AND SATPURA MOUNTAIN BHIL

													Stipend Paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount Raised for all Congregational Purposes	Baptized Community	Amount Raised for other Missionary & Benevolent Purposes	Salary	Total Amount Raised for all Purposes	
													$	$	$		$	$	$	
4	3	63	26	..	21	202	..	..	12	48	123	M	120	...	228	486	45	...	273	1
4	3	28	9	1	3	48	1	2	3	1	37	....	...	...	44	138	..	‡3229	44	2
3	4	56	32	26	10	237	....	1	1	....	44	M	...	...	89	237	71	‡2150	160	3
5	3	36	16	1	9	105	8	13	3	2	82	....	120	100	260	184	40	...	300	4
																		‡2181		
1	2	7	....	..	1	32	....	....	4	....	16	....	...	...	...	72	..	....	...	5
4	3	22	11	11	5	52	....	....	....	....	22	M	...	165	121	141	..	‡2479	121	6
2	2	22	5	16	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	...	7	...	..	...	7	7
1	....	7	2	..	2	30	....	....	....	....	10	M	...	...	82	30	25	...	...	8
2	....	4	....	..	1	10	....	....	....	....	2	M	...	...	...	16	..	...	...	9
..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	...	...	...	..	‡2400	...	1
26	20	245	101	55	52	716	9	16	23	51	336	5	240	265	831	1304	181	12439	905	
30	17	234	62	14	51	670	12	2	..	8	375	5	320	416	994	1495	175	11766	1169	
..	3	11	39	41	1	46	....	14	23	43	....	....	....	....	....	....	6	673	....	
4	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	† 39	....	80	151	163	† 191	..	...	264	

Number of Self-sustaining Charges	2	Number of Mission Fields	3
" Congregations in them	9	" Preaching Stations in them	5
" Augmented Charges	4	Total Number of Pastoral Charges and Mission Fields	9
" Congregations in them	12	" " Congregations and Preaching Stations	26

‡Salary paid by Board of Missions.

D. E. McDONALD, *Clerk of Presbytery.*

†The considerable decrease in communicant members and in total baptized community is accounted for by the purging of the Amkhut and Sardi session books.

1. SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES—DETAILS BY PRESBYTERIES

Statistical and Financial Returns for Year Ending December 31st, 1938

	PRESBYTERIES	Ministers on Roll of Presbytery	Self-Sustaining Charges	Congregations in Them	Augmented Charges	Congregations in Them	Mission Fields	Preaching Stations in Them	Number of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms		Sabbath Schools		Communicants Received		Communicants Removed from Roll		Number of Communicants on Roll December 31st, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount raised for all Congregational Purposes	Amount raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount raised for other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes	Amount raised by W.M.S.	Total amount raised for all Purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year Ending December 31st, 1938.
												Infants	Adults	Teachers and Officers	Pupils—All Departments	On Profession of Faith	By Certificate	By Certificate	By Death or Otherwise										
1	Cape Breton and Newfoundland	21	11	19	10	17	1	2	38	198	2738	284	16	265	2433	154	37	23	95	4024	19	$ 33116	$ 79480	$ 75210	$ 6904	$ 1968	$ 3151	$ 87233	$ 6845.17
2	Pictou	24	10	14	13	41	7	13	68	227	3331	212	32	261	2440	278	101	53	191	6301	21	36258	32316	64004	6806	2780	5704	79294	6962.90
3	Halifax and Lunenburg	12	5	6	8	14	3	7	27	79	1181	79	14	136	1197	100	32	22	54	2580	11	19322	60571	41419	3531	2282	1666	49018	3697.96
4	Saint John	16	5	5	7	13	8	21	39	85	1298	105	3	163	1164	65	23	21	25	2337	8	19731	63150	35717	2059	560	1184	43326	1863.10
5	Miramichi	5	2	3	5	18	4	7	28	66	728	92	2	111	752	40	9	....	17	1300	8	9626	40670	15847	693	121	720	17381	589.21
6	Prince Edward Island	13	11	23	5	14	2	3	40	136	1914	132	12	214	1741	195	34	37	152	3391	16	22687	26677	43011	2850	1349	2434	49644	2985.33
	Grand Total, 1938	91	44	70	48	117	25	53	240	791	11190	904	79	1150	9727	832	236	156	534	19933	83	140740	302864	275208	22843	9060	14859	325896	22943.67
	Grand Total, 1937	91	43	69	51	116	25	52	236	791	10947	741	85	1066	8956	577	372	104	651	19334	91	140372	305444	273338	21688	8602	15290	321916	22735.46
	Increase	....	1	1	....	1	....	1	4	....	243	163	...	84	771	255	....	52	....	599	....	368	.....	1870	1155	458	.....	3980	208.21
	Decrease	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6	.....	.....	....	136	....	117	.....	8	.....	2580	.....	.....	.....	431	.....	.....

2. SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA—DETAILS BY PRESBYTERIES

Statistical and Financial Returns for Year Ending December 31st, 1938

	PRESBYTERIES	Ministers on Roll of Presbytery	Self-Sustaining Charges	Congregations in Them	Augmented Charges	Congregations in Them	Mission Fields	Preaching Stations in Them	Number of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms		Sabbath Schools		Communicants Received		Communicants Removed from Roll		Number of Communicants on Roll December 31st, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount raised for all Congregational Purposes	Amount raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount raised for other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes	Amount raised by W.M.S.	Total amount raised for all Purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year Ending December 31st, 1938.
												Infants	Adults	Teachers and Officers	Pupils—All Departments	On Profession of Faith	By Certificate	By Certificate	By Death or Otherwise										
7	Quebec	11	3	5	4	10	7	12	27	73	905	45	1	64	565	51	19	6	59	1514	13	$ 15055	$ 12959	$ 25632	$ 2300	$ 415	$ 1394	$ 29741	$ 2470.62
8	Montreal	49	23	29	7	7	12	18	54	381	6793	370	19	668	6255	479	394	264	663	13113	16	83378	371629	221364	39636	13491	14722	289213	42724.73
9	Glengarry	11	8	11	4	7	2	1	19	112	1454	89	1	145	1137	142	83	25	103	3051	12	19489	1100	38037	4004	1564	4317	47916	3788.36
10	Ottawa	16	7	9	6	12	1	2	23	159	2418	150	20	249	2162	124	130	35	105	4600	12	26637	38843	86650	17162	1665	3549	109107	17043.73
11	Lanark and Renfrew	13	7	9	4	8	5	10	27	118	1780	110	35	148	1372	100	44	21	64	3612	14	18593	87418	50909	3783	893	2700	59481	3736.05
12	Brockville	14	11	20	1	2	2	3	25	100	1242	60	...	150	1070	59	39	33	101	2585	13	17970	3500	38905	3014	223	2820	44962	2919.43
	Grand Total, 1938	114	59	83	26	46	29	46	175	943	14592	824	76	1424	12561	955	709	384	1095	28475	80	181122	515449	461497	69899	18251	29502	580420	72682.92
	Grand Total, 1937	107	58	80	27	48	26	45	173	937	14701	853	110	1446	12815	992	613	502	996	28461	82	185035	538175	448538	60393	23991	29743	564731	59007.06
	Increase	7	1	3	....	....	3	1	2	6	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	96	....	99	14	....	.....	.....	12959	9506	.....	.....	15689	13675.86
	Decrease	.....	.....	.....	1	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	109	29	34	22	254	37	....	118	.....	.....	2	3913	22726	.....	.....	5740	241	.....	.....

3. SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON—DETAILS BY PRESBYTERIES

Statistical and Financial Returns for Year Ending December 31st, 1938

	PRESBYTERIES	Ministers on Roll of Presbytery	Self-Sustaining Charges	Congregations in Them	Augmented Charges	Congregations in Them	Mission Fields	Preaching Stations in Them	Number of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	Number of Communicants on Roll December 31st, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount raised for all Congregational Purposes	Amount raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount raised for other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes	Amount raised by W.M.S.	Total amount raised for all Purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year Ending December 31st, 1938.
																						$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
13	Kingston	13	9	11	4	10	1	1	22	116	1218	71	2	140	1169	85	83	33	82	3064	14	20646	25226	45079	4897	1205	2293	53587	4969.88
14	Peterborough	14	10	19	3	6	1	3	28	152	1731	111	5	243	1904	118	74	50	198	3566	11	23199	20700	50384	5513	1124	4337	61358	5224.81
15	Lindsay	9	8	19	3	4	....	....	23	109	1186	51	9	162	1197	63	30	21	195	2400	14	15978	9476	32835	2296	638	2320	38245	2280.73
16	Toronto	117	48	57	4	5	18	24	86	867	12455	549	55	1718	16350	846	927	648	1521	27328	34	124595	733384	398243	57635	15993	29105	515182	64098.08
17	Orangeville	13	3	7	3	6	3	7	20	95	916	39	5	125	900	42	19	27	128	1924	10	11373	3545	20344	1312	465	1907	24000	1353.86
18	Barrie	23	18	39	4	11	6	6	56	247	2901	147	22	398	3380	182	132	62	300	5949	24	38257	28924	75624	7867	2815	6902	93218	7993.51
19	North Bay and Temiskaming	5	3	3	2	3	7	14	20	64	708	78	9	90	770	74	62	15	28	1246	5	9381	36665	24916	899	324	673	26859	911.37
20	Algoma	6	3	4	....	....	3	8	12	50	762	53	4	93	909	57	39	11	59	1406	5	8883	52184	21391	1845	162	699	24097	1802.59
21	Saugeen	11	8	14	1	1	1	1	16	71	803	91	14	109	963	76	70	21	82	2015	9	12708	2192	23971	2871	551	1376	28169	1566.65
22	Guelph	18	15	20	1	3	2	2	25	252	3741	154	27	404	3569	238	263	101	445	8218	12	36858	26650	92459	17001	1306	7798	121047	16815.06
	Grand Total, 1938	229	125	193	25	49	42	66	308	2023	26421	1344	152	3482	31111	1781	1699	989	3038	57116	138	301878	938946	785246	102136	24583	57410	985762	107016.54
	Grand Total, 1937	229	128	199	25	46	42	64	309	1972	26576	1300	124	3522	31613	1659	1461	924	2806	58239	145	304332	950268	824105	105086	25901	58032	1013931	106608.08
	Increase	....	....	....	....	3	....	2	....	51	.....	44	28	.....	.....	122	238	65	232	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	408.46
	Decrease	....	3	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	....	155	.....	...	40	502	.....	.....	.....	.....	1123	7	2454	11322	38859	2950	1318	622	28169	.....

4. SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON—DETAILS BY PRESBYTERIES

Statistical and Financial Returns for Year Ending December 31st, 1938

	PRESBYTERIES	Ministers on Roll of Presbytery	Self-Sustaining Charges	Congregations in Them	Augmented Charges	Congregations in Them	Mission Fields	Preaching Stations in Them	Number of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	Number of Communicants on Roll December 31st, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount raised for all Congregational Purposes	Amount raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount raised for other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes	Amount raised by W.M.S.	Total amount raised for all Purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year Ending December 31st, 1938.
																						$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
23	Hamilton	38	27	38	8	13	7	13	64	472	6906	328	41	739	7348	421	326	212	628	14187	29	74256	202375	191086	26478	12331	13217	243112	25782.12
24	Paris	18	8	9	3	7	....	....	16	147	1920	82	14	223	1717	106	124	72	282	4196	9	22350	34050	55034	7251	671	4779	67454	7300.36
25	London	32	16	26	3	6	4	6	38	218	2889	120	39	369	2770	189	150	142	247	6279	22	36812	43753	77032	8460	4234	6247	95873	9499.12
26	Chatham	15	11	16	3	5	....	....	21	147	2370	136	14	245	2590	123	103	45	254	4761	13	27000	61100	67393	7528	178	4674	80783	6407.55
27	Sarnia	14	11	21	3	6	2	2	29	143	2138	103	17	275	1971	133	92	36	94	3447	14	23847	9700	53008	5256	1327	3711	63302	5172.40
28	Stratford	15	12	18	1	1	....	....	19	149	2300	94	8	222	2008	118	75	64	126	5072	12	24719	31428	52719	7534	2195	5409	67675	7645.08
29	Huron	11	4	7	2	3	....	....	10	75	939	37	5	91	786	52	53	23	123	1924	6	11090	11816	23144	3555	431	3110	30240	3542.87
30	Maitland	10	11	21	....	....	....	....	21	134	1409	77	6	168	1404	57	57	44	186	3159	11	21140	4140	38975	5903	719	3703	49590	5858.10
31	Bruce	10	12	19	2	3	1	3	25	146	1652	42	13	174	1509	85	102	57	193	3444	13	20609	7500	40963	4254	351	2995	48563	4113.21
	Grand Total, 1938	163	112	175	25	44	14	24	243	1631	22523	1019	157	2506	22103	1284	1082	695	2133	46469	129	261823	405862	599354	76219	22437	47845	746592	75320.81
	Grand Total, 1937	163	115	178	25	45	12	19	242	1568	22461	1098	180	2506	22064	1354	1059	665	1796	47023	132	267039	424819	601466	79036	24471	47958	750428	74817.94
	Increase	....	....	....	....	....	2	5	1	63	62	....	....	.....	39	....	23	30	337	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	502.87
	Decrease	....	3	3	....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	79	23	.....	.....	70	....	....	....	554	3	5216	18957	2112	2817	2034	113	3836	.....

5. SYNOD OF MANITOBA—DETAILS BY PRESBYTERIES

Statistical and Financial Returns for Year Ending December 31st, 1938

	PRESBYTERIES	Ministers on Roll of Presbytery	Self-Sustaining Charges	Congregations in Them	Augmented Charges	Congregations in Them	Mission Fields	Preaching Stations in Them	Number of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	Number of Communicants on Roll December 31st, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount raised for all Congregational Purposes	Amount raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount raised for other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes	Amount raised by W.M.S.	Total amount raised for all Purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year Ending December 31st, 1938.
32	Superior	6	3	4	....	....	8	10	14	58	1096	124	9	181	1784	125	52	12	44	2163	2	$ 9210	$ 19680	$ 28700	$ 2373	$ 963	$ 1107	$ 33145	$ 2386.19
33	Winnipeg	11	4	4	4	4	6	8	16	89	949	38	8	147	1451	46	63	41	95	1942	7	12844	90632	32980	2063	1001	1383	37447	2104.95
34	Brandon	9	2	2	7	12	12	16	30	77	1021	98	16	145	1367	88	13	16	47	1827	17	10526	45847	27604	811	76	1043	29802	972.32
	Grand Total, 1938	26	9	10	11	16	26	34	60	224	3066	260	33	473	4602	259	128	69	186	5932	26	32580	156159	89284	5247	2040	3533	100394	5463.46
	Grand Total, 1937	26	9	10	11	16	26	34	60	224	3066	260	33	473	4602	259	128	69	186	5932	26	32580	156159	89284	5247	2040	3533	100394	5463.46
	Grand Total, 1937	23	9	10	11	16	27	37	63	211	2987	206	32	471	4545	181	76	56	146	5735	25	31942	166781	89315	5197	1516	3441	100893	5160.00
	Increase	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	13	79	54	1	2	57	78	52	13	40	197	1	638	....	....	50	524	92	....	303.46
	Decrease	....	....	....	....	....	1	3	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	10622	31	....	....	....	499	....

6. SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN—DETAILS BY PRESBYTERIES

Statistical and Financial Returns for Year Ending December 31st, 1938

	PRESBYTERIES	Ministers on Roll of Presbytery	Self-Sustaining Charges	Congregations in Them	Augmented Charges	Congregations in Them	Mission Fields	Preaching Stations in Them	Number of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	Number of Communicants on Roll December 31st, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount raised for all Congregational Purposes	Amount raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount raised for other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes	Amount raised by W.M.S.	Total amount raised for all Purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year Ending December 31st, 1938.
35	Regina	7	1	1	1	2	9	18	21	76	746	72	4	121	1181	118	25	72	99	1891	8	$ 6774	$ 32479	$ 14673	$ 1834	$ 4352	$ 542	$ 22520	$ 1801.57
36	Moose Jaw	6	1	2	4	6	4	13	21	32	494	36	6	79	648	43	14	12	44	830	7	4449	19469	9113	741	431	437	10415	717.71
37	Prince Albert	5	2	3	1	2	6	21	26	23	842	59	5	71	974	51	12	27	91	870	6	3995	9467	9111	504	126	460	13100	529.04
38	Saskatoon	7	2	2	3	6	5	15	23	51	887	61	15	116	1096	37	9	15	38	1277	5	8440	24165	16274	995	130	552	18828	937.43
	Grand Total, 1938	25	6	8	9	16	24	67	91	182	2969	228	30	387	3899	249	60	126	272	4868	26	23658	85580	49171	4074	5039	1991	64863	3985.75
	Grand Total, 1937	27	6	8	9	17	23	65	90	184	2812	179	32	435	3980	194	71	92	300	4787	28	24217	85466	55302	4077	1228	2080	63888	3864.56
	Increase	....	....	....	....	....	1	2	1	....	157	49	....	....	....	....	55	....	34	....	81	....	....	114	....	....	3811	....	975	121.19
	Decrease	2	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	2	....	....	2	48	81	....	11	....	28	....	....	2	559	....	6131	3	....	89	....	....

7. SYNOD OF ALBERTA—DETAILS BY PRESBYTERIES

Statistical and Financial Returns for Year Ending December 31st, 1938

	PRESBYTERIES	Ministers on Roll of Presbytery	Self-Sustaining Charges	Congregations in Them	Augmented Charges	Congregations in Them	Mission Fields	Preaching Stations in Them	Number of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	Number of Communicants on Roll December 31st, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount raised for all Congregational Purposes	Amount raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount raised for other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes	Amount raised by W.M.S.	Total amount raised for all Purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year Ending December 31st, 1938.
39	Peace River	4					9	29	29	7	284	15		35	213	2	2			105	7	$ 155	$ 1000	$ 435	$ 274	$ 2	$ 119	$ 985	$ 295.07
40	Edmonton	7	1	1	3	3	12	26	30	71	1055	63	16	163	1431	67	44	27	43	1828	8	11125	18361	32698	3718	1916	1066	39399	3748.37
41	Red Deer	6	1	1	2	4	8	19	24	37	696	63	8	83	796	25	16	6	7	728	10	6227	2339	10371	651	176	445	13102	627.67
42	Calgary	10	3	3	5	9	2	2	14	81	1152	58	5	146	1278	57	39	26	457	2084	4	12589	72019	31833	3650	1421	1689	38593	3589.59
43	Macleod	3	2	2	1	1	3	9	12	58	490	35	10	61	612	61	14	4	16	849	3	5766	9511	15663	1080	72	440	16519	1028.53
	Grand Total, 1938	30	7	7	11	17	34	85	109	254	3677	234	39	488	4330	212	115	63	523	5594	32	35862	103230	91000	9373	3587	3759	108598	9289.23
	Grand Total, 1937	31	8	10	14	21	27	78	110	227	3639	272	28	556	4493	180	119	130	131	6022	33	36063	95388	83831	8880	1676	3886	98911	8787.49
	Increase						7	7		27	38		11			32			392				7842	7169	493	1911		9687	501.74
	Decrease	1	1	3	3	4			1			38		68	163		4	67		428	1	201					127		

8. SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA—DETAILS BY PRESBYTERIES

Statistical and Financial Returns for Year Ending December 31st, 1938

	PRESBYTERIES	Ministers on Roll of Presbytery	Self-Sustaining Charges	Congregations in Them	Augmented Charges	Congregations in Them	Mission Fields	Preaching Stations in Them	Number of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Sabbath Schools: Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	Number of Communicants on Roll December 31st, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount raised for all Congregational Purposes	Amount raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount raised for other Missionary and Benevolent Purposes	Amount raised by W.M.S.	Total amount raised for all Purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year Ending December 31st, 1938.
44	Kootenay	3	1	1	1	1	5	7	9	16	413	29	9	72	741	20	26	6	12	432	5	$ 4838	$ 7000	$ 8103	$ 396	$ 35	$ 375	$ 8908	$ 393.99
45	Westminster	42	10	11	8	9	11	19	39	187	2542	142	27	346	3092	190	150	73	334	4333	11	33338	91415	68071	7468	999	3290	79828	7643.24
46	Victoria	14	2	2			7	8	10	49	551	29		83	789	20	59	13	86	1002	3	8393	2000	15551	2300	666	1561	20056	2319.69
	Grand Total, 1938	59	13	14	9	10	23	34	58	252	3506	200	36	501	4622	230	235	92	432	5767	19	46569	100415	91725	10164	1700	5226	108792	10356.92
	Grand Total, 1937	58	13	13	11	11	24	36	60	253	3542	161	37	509	4837	204	166	104	277	5848	22	46637	102618	90473	9302	4005	5571	109374	9086.30
	Increase	1		1								39				26	69		155					1252	862				1270.62
	Decrease				2	1	1	2	2	1	36		1	8	215			12		81	3	68	2203			2305	345	582		

STATISTICS AND FINANCES.

GENERAL SUMMARY BY SYNODS TO DECEMBER 31st, 1938

SYNODS	Ministers on Roll of Presbytery	Self-Sustaining Charges	Congregations in Them	Augmented Charges	Congregations in Them	Mission Fields	Preaching Stations in Them	Number of Preaching Stations	Number of Elders	Families	Baptisms: Infants	Baptisms: Adults	Teachers and Officers	Sabbath Schools: Pupils—All Departments	Communicants Received: On Profession of Faith	Communicants Received: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Certificate	Communicants Removed from Roll: By Death or Otherwise	Number of Communicants on Roll December 31st, 1938	Manse (M) or Rented House (R.H.)	Stipend paid by Congregation	Mortgage Indebtedness of Congregations	Amount raised for all Congregational Purposes	Amount raised for Budget Funds of Church	Amount raised for other Ministerial and Benevolent Purposes	Amount raised by W.M.S.	Total amount raised for all Purposes	Received by Treasurer of the Church, Year Ending December 31st, 1938.
																					$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
1 Maritime Provinces	91	44	70	48	117	25	53	240	791	11190	904	79	1150	9727	832	236	156	534	19033	83	140740	302864	275206	22843	9060	14859	335896	22943.67
2 Montreal and Ottawa	114	59	83	26	46	29	46	175	943	14592	824	76	1434	12561	955	700	384	1095	28475	80	181122	515449	461497	68899	18251	29502	580420	72852.92
3 Toronto and Kingston	229	125	193	25	49	42	66	308	2023	26421	1344	152	3482	31111	1781	1699	989	3038	57116	138	301878	938946	785246	102136	24583	57410	985762	107016.54
4 Hamilton and London	163	112	175	25	44	14	24	243	1631	22523	1019	157	2506	22103	1284	1082	695	2133	46469	129	261823	405862	590354	76219	22437	47845	746592	75320.81
5 Manitoba	26	9	10	11	16	26	34	60	224	3066	260	33	473	4602	259	128	69	186	5932	26	32580	156159	89284	5247	2040	3533	100394	5463.46
6 Saskatchewan	25	6	8	9	16	24	67	91	182	2969	228	30	387	3899	249	60	126	272	4868	26	23658	85580	40171	4074	5039	1991	64863	3985.75
7 Alberta	30	7	7	11	17	34	85	109	254	3677	234	39	488	4330	212	115	63	523	5594	32	35862	103230	91000	9373	3587	3759	108598	9289.23
8 British Columbia	59	13	14	9	10	23	34	55	252	3506	200	36	501	4622	230	235	92	432	5767	19	46569	100415	91725	10164	1700	5226	108792	10356.92
Presbytery of Vindhiya and Satpura Mountain Bhil	9	....	....	....	....	....	9	26	26	245	101	55	52	716	9	16	23	51	386	5	240	265	831	....	181	....	905	.....
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CHANGES AFFECTING MINISTERS, STUDENTS LICENTIATES, AND CONGREGATIONS, AS REPORTED BY CLERKS OF SYNODS

THE SYNOD OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

List of Changes During the Synod Year

Deaths in the Ministry

Presbytery of Halifax and Lunenburg: Rev. J. A. Pritchard, January 29, 1938.

Presbytery of Saint John: Rev. J. A. Kennedy, March 4, 1938.

Licensures

None.

Ordinations

Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland: W. S. Sutherland, B.A., Marion Bridge, May 7, 1938.

Presbytery of Pictou: Donald A. Campbell, B.A., Pictou, June 15, 1938.
T. G. M. Bryan, B.A., River John, July 5, 1938.
F. A. Lawrence, B.A., East River St. Mary's, July 7, 1938.
Chas. H. MacLean, B.A., West River, Pictou, July 14, 1938.

Presbytery of Halifax and Lunenburg: Murray Y. Fraser, B.A., Springhill, N.S., June 17, 1938.

Inductions

Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland: Athol H. Sproule, Orangedale, N.S., December 2, 1937.
Alexander A. Murray, D.D., Westminster, Sydney, January 11, 1938.
William S. Sutherland, B.A., Marion Bridge, May 17, 1938.

Presbytery of Pictou: S. J. Macarthur, B.D., Stellarton, December 30, 1937.
G. S. Mitchell, B.D., Westville, November 17, 1937.
D. A. MacKinnon, Barney's River, December 1, 1937.
Alexander Mills, Thorburn, February 1, 1938.
D. A. Campbell, B.A., First Pictou, June 15, 1938.
F. A. Lawrence, B.A., East R. St. Mary's, July 7, 1938.
F. Clark Evans, B.A., Gairloch, July 5th, 1938.
Chas. H. MacLean, B.A., West River, July 14, 1938.

Presbytery of Halifax and Lunenburg: Murray Y. Fraser, Springhill, N.S., June 17, 1938.
Alexander Allen, St. Andrew's, Lunenburg, October 28, 1937.
F. R. Meredith, Knox, Halifax, January 4, 1938.

Presbytery of Miramichi: C. E. Hayward, B.A., Dalhousie, N.B., November 18, 1937.
M. E. Genge, D.D., Chatham & Newcastle, March 8, 1938.

Presbytery of Prince Edward Island: A. O. Thomson, D.D., Brookfield, November 2, 1937.
W. Lyal Detlor, M.A., Clifton, etc., December 2, 1937.
William Verwolf, B.A., Summerside, December 3, 1937.
A. S. MacLean, Caledonia, December 14, 1937.

TRANSLATIONS

Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland: A. S. MacLean, Merigomish to Caledonia, P.E.I., December 3, 1937.
Alex. Mills, B.A., Grand River to Thorburn, February 4, 1938.

Presbytery of Pictou: William Verwolf, B.A., West River to Summerside, December 3, 1937.
C. E. Hayward, B.A., Thorburn to Dalhousie, November 18, 1937.

Presbytery of Miramichi: F. R. Meredith, New Mills to Knox, Halifax.

Presbytery of Prince Edward Island: J. H. Douglas, Murray Harbour North to Presbytery of Kingston, March 1, 1938.
Walter McCleary, Summerside to Presbytery of Toronto, March 1, 1938.

RESIGNATIONS

Presbytery of Miramichi: F. G. Purnell, Millerton, September 20, 1938.

Presbytery of Prince Edward Island: J. H. Douglas, Murray Harbour North, November 2, 1937.
Fred Williamson, Malpeque, December 31, 1937.

APPOINTMENTS

Presbytery of Pictou: T. G. M. Bryan, B.A., to River John, July 5, 1938.

Presbytery of Miramichi: P. M. Sampson, to Sunny Corner, March 4, 1938.

ADDED TO APPENDIX

Presbytery of Pictou: P. W. Murray, B.A., March 7, 1938.

Presbytery of Saint John: Frank Baird, D.D., September, 1937.
A. D. Hamilton, B.D., December, 1937.

Presbytery of Miramichi: F. G. Purnell, September 20, 1938.

Presbytery of Prince Edward Island: J. H. Douglas, November 30, 1937.
Fred Williamson, December 31, 1937.
George Cameron, May 10, 1938.

REMOVED FROM APPENDIX

Presbytery of Pictou: Frank Baird, D.D., December 7, 1937.
H. S. Philpot, B.D., July 1, 1938.
D. G. Ross, October 2, 1938.

Presbytery of Halifax and Lunenburg: A. A. Hogg, U.S.A., Deceased.

Presbytery of Saint John: Frank Baird, D.D., June, 1938.

Presbytery of Prince Edward Island: J. H. Douglas, March 1, 1938.
Walter McCleary, March 1, 1938.
P. Watson Currie, May 24, 1938.
George Cameron, November 2, 1938.

ADDED TO ROLL BY LEAVE OF ASSEMBLY

Presbytery of Saint John: Frank Baird, M.A., D.D., June, 1938.

CERTIFICATES GRANTED

Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland: A. S. MacLean, December 3, 1937.
A. D. Hamilton, B.A., B.D., January, 1938.

Presbytery of Pictou: Frank Baird, D.D., December 7, 1937, to Presbytery of St. John.
H. S. Philpot, B.D., 1st July, 1938 to Presbytery of Montreal.

Presbytery of Prince Edward Island: J. H. Douglas, March 1, 1938.
Walter McCleary, March 1, 1938.
P. Watson Currie, May 24, 1938.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Presbytery of Saint John: G. L. Fulford, B.D., September, 1937 to September, 1938.

CHANGES IN BOUNDS OF CHARGES

Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland: Westminster congregation, Sydney, Organized, December 3, 1937.

Presbytery of Pictou: Abercrombie Mission field, March 1, 1938.

Presbytery of Miramichi: Rexton taken from Black River, etc., and added to Bass River and West Branch, March 8, 1938.

Chipman, N.B.,
March 14, 1939.

FRANK BAIRD,
Synod Clerk.

THE SYNOD OF MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

LIST OF CHANGES DURING SYNOD YEAR

PRESBYTERY OF QUEBEC

Students Licensed:
June 22, 1938, Mr. H. K. Gilmour.

Ordination:
June 22, 1938, Mr. H. K. Gilmour.

Demission:
September 30, 1938, Rev. D. L. Griffiths, Ordained Missionary, appointment terminated.

PRESBYTERY OF MONTREAL

Students Licensed: April 12, 1938.
Mr. Donald A. Campbell, B.A.
Mr. Wm. Scott Duncan.
Mr. Murray Y. Fraser, B.A.
Mr. James Morton Freeman, B.A.
Mr. Charles H. MacLean, B.A.
Mr. Glendon F. Partridge, B.A.
Mr. Wm. S. Sutherland, B.A.
Mr. Arthur C. Young, B.A.
Mr. Donald B. Mackay, B.A., June 11, 1938.

Ordinations:
June 16, 1938, Donald B. Mackay, B.A.
June 22, 1938, W. Scott Duncan.

Inductions:
March 31, 1938, Rev. Alex. Nimmo, St. Edward's Church, Beauharnois, Que.
May 18, 1938, Rev. Frank S. Morley, Ph.D., Stanley Church, Westmount, Que.
June 16, 1938, Rev. Donald B. Mackay, B.A., Georgetown Church.
June 22, 1938, Rev. W. Scott Duncan, Athelstan, Que.

PRESBYTERY OF MONTREAL—*Continued*

Reception:

Mr. Donald B. Mackay, B.A., received from Princeton Seminary by order of the General Assembly.

Rev. H. S. Philpott, received from Presbytery of Pictou.

Translations:

October 24, 1937, Rev. Alex. Allen, St. Cuthbert's, Hochelaga, to Lunenburg, Presbytery of Halifax.

February 20, 1938, Rev. T. J. Watson, B.A., Georgetown, Que., to Rogers Memorial Church, Toronto.

March 31, 1938, Rev. Alex. Nimmo, Athelstan and Elgin, Que., to St. Edward's Church, Beauharnois, Que., both in the Presbytery of Montreal.

May 15, 1938, Rev. Walter Ross, Ormstown, Que., to Moose Creek, Ont., Presbytery of Glengarry.

Demission:

December 31, 1937, Rev. J. D. Anderson, D.D., Resignation.

Death:

October 24, 1937, Rev. J. G. Potter, D.D.

PRESBYTERY OF GLENGARRY

Induction:

May 19, 1938, Rev. Walter Ross, Moose Creek.

Reception:

Rev. Walter Ross, from the Presbytery of Montreal.

PRESBYTERY OF OTTAWA

Ordinations:

May 3, 1938, Mr. Arthur C. Young, B.A.

May 31, 1938, Mr. Glendon F. Partridge, B.A.

Inductions:

May 3, 1938, Rev. Arthur C. Young, B.A., to Kars and Manotick.

May 31, 1938, Rev. Glendon F. Partridge, B.A., to Kinburn, Pakenham and Torbolton.

September 22, 1938, Rev. Alex. Ferguson, M.A., B.D., to St. Andrews Church, Ottawa.

Receptions:

Rev. Scarth Macdonnell, B.A., received from the Presbytery of Regina.

Rev. Alex. Ferguson, received from the Church of Scotland.

Translation:

November 16, 1937, Rev. D. A. MacKinnon, from Kars and Manotick, Presbytery of Ottawa, to Presbytery of Pictou.

Demission:

May 3, 1938, Rev. Norman F. Sharkey, Resigned his charge at Bristol.

PRESBYTERY OF LANARK AND RENFREW

Induction:

May 26, 1938, Rev. Bertram Nelles, at Pembroke, Ont.

Changes in Presbytery:

The congregation of Alice was separated from the Mission field of Alice and Petawawa and joined with the congregation of Pembroke.

PRESBYTERY OF BROCKVILLE

Inductions:

November 4, 1937, Rev. Wm. Merrilees, Westport and Newboro.
March 31, 1938, Rev. M. W. Heslip, Prescott, Ont.
May 25, 1938, Rev. J. A. Koffend, Iroquois and Dixon's Corners.
September, Rev. B. D. Armstrong, B.A., Kemptville.

Translation:

Rev. Wm. Merrilees, translated from Iroquois and Dixon's Corners to Westport and Newboro, November 4th, 1937, both in the Presbytery of Brockville.

Death:

June 20, 1938, Rev. Donald MacOdrum, B.A., D.D.

Reception:

September, Rev. B. D. Armstrong, B.A., from Presbytery of Barrie, to Kemptville and Oxford Mills.

THE SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON

CHANGES AFFECTING MINISTERS, STUDENTS, LICENTIATES AND CONGREGATIONS WITHIN THE BOUNDS OF THE SYNOD OF TORONTO AND KINGSTON COVERING THE SYNOD YEAR ENDING MAY 1ST, 1939.

PRESBYTERY OF KINGSTON

Receptions:

M. E. R. Boudreau, B.D., from Presbytery of Hamilton.
W. H. V. Walker from Presbytery of Peterborough.

Inductions:

M. E. R. Boudreau, into St. Andrew's Picton, April 28th, 1938.
W. H. V. Walker, into St. Andrew's Sterling, etc., November 30th, 1938.

Translation:

J. A. Koffend, to Presbytery of Brockville, May 22nd, 1938.

PRESBYTERY OF PETERBOROUGH

Ordination and Induction:

James M. Young at Lakefield, May 12th, 1938.

Translations:

A. J. Preston to Presbytery of Barrie, August, 1938.
W. H. V. Walker to Presbytery of Kingston, November 27th, 1938.
H. R. Williams to Presbytery of Stratford, February, 1939.

PRESBYTERY OF LINDSAY

Induction:

Donald McQueen into St. Andrew's Lindsay, February 3rd, 1939.

Translation:

J. C. Grier, B.A., to Presbytery of Guelph.

Demissions:

J. R. Dickenson to United Church of Canada.
Richard Russell to Presbytery of London.
T. H. Clifford to Appendix of Roll.

Changes Affecting Congregations:

Fenelon Falls and Glenarm joined to form one congregation.
Rosedale, supplied from Bobcaygeon.

Presbytery of Toronto

Deaths:

David Anderson, B.A., September 21st, 1938.
T. D. McCullough, M.A., December 1st, 1938.
W. G. Hanna, B.A., January 27th, 1939.
S. C. Graeb, March 31st, 1939.

Students Licensed: April 12th, 1939.

Hartley K. Caslor; Charles C. Cochrane B.A.; W. A. Kincaid, B.A.; W. J. McKeown, B.A.; T. H. B. Somers, M.A.; J. K. Ross Thomson, B.A.

Ordinations:

W. J. McKeown, B.A., to Home Mission duty at Melfort, Sask., April 12th, 1939.
J. K. Ross Thomson, B.A., to Home Mission duty at Long Branch and Dixie, April 18th, 1939.

Inductions:

J. S. Glen, M.A., Ph.D., into Glenview, May 17th, 1938.
G. D. Little into Chalmers, May 19th, 1938.
John Riddell into Knox Milton, May 30th, 1938.
R. C. Creelman, B.D., into Weston, October 18th, 1938.
A. Leggett into Norval and Union, January 10th, 1939.
A. N. Miller, B.D., into Brampton, January 26th, 1939.
W. H. Reid, M.A., into Knox, Oshawa, April 28th, 1939.

Receptions:

G. D. Little from Presbytery of Guelph.
John Riddell from Presbytery of Stratford.
R. C. Creelman, B.D., from Presbytery of Westminster.
A. Leggett from Presbytery of Maitland.
A. N. Miller, B.D., from Presbytery of Chatham.

Resignations:

A. Norman MacMillan from Norval and Union.
James Wilson, D.D., from Wychwood.
W. Hardy Andrews, D.D., from Queen Street East.
Samuel Lundie, M.A., from Port Credit.

Demission:

John Davey, B.D., from Dale Church (Pastoral tie dissolved).

Translation:

H. M. Coulter, B.A., from Brampton to Hamilton Presbytery.

Appointments:

1st To Home Mission duty:

Charles Steinmetz to First Hungarian Church.
A. C. Jamieson, B.A., to Agincourt.
J. S. Roe, B.A., to Woodbridge and Knox Vaughan.
M. E. Burch to King, etc.
R. J. Koffend to Evangel Hall.
M. Zeidman, B.D., to Scott Institute.
L. Standret to Ukrainian Mission, Oshawa.
M. Fesenko, Th.B., to Ukrainian Mission, Toronto.
Ma T. K. Wou to Chinese Mission, Toronto.
J. K. Ross Thomson, B.A., to Long Branch and Dixie.

2nd As Stated Supply:

Andrew Hood, in St. James, Toronto.
Kenneth MacLennan, in Westminster, Todmorden.
John Davey, B.D., in Dale Church, Toronto.

Presbytery of Toronto—*Continued*

Changes Affecting Congregations:

Long Branch and Dixie reduced to Mission.
Macpherson Church name changed to St. James.
Melrose Park Congregation: Organized with status of augmented charge.

Presbytery of Orangeville

Ordinations:

Fred C. Knox at Maple Valley, June 9th, 1938, for Mission work in India.
Hartley K. Caslor at Claude, April 14th, 1939, for Mission duty in Peace River District.

Reception of Ministers:

H. Lindsay Simpson from Presbytery of Montreal, February 2nd, 1939.
Prescott W. Murray, B.A., from Presbytery of Pictou, January 4th, 1939.

Inductions:

H. Lindsay Simpson into Orangeville, etc., February 28th, 1939.
Prescott W. Murray, B.A., into Erin and Ospringe, March 7th, 1939.

Suspension:

J. H. Woodside, LL.D., October 4th, 1938 (Pastoral tie severed).

Changes in Congregations:

Maple Valley separated from Horning's Mills; joined to Feversham and Singhampton to form one charge, May 17th, 1938.
Horning's Mills now stands alone with A. H. Barker as supply.

Presbytery of Barrie

Inductions:

A. J. Preston, B.D., into Penetanguishene, August 17th, 1938.
A. L. Howard, Ph.D., into Uptergrove, January 12th, 1939.

Reception:

A. J. Preston, B.D., from Presbytery of Peterborough.
A. L. Howard Ph.D., from Presbytery of Saugeen.

Translations:

B. D. Armstrong, B.A., to Kemptville, September, 1938.
R. B. Nelles to Pembroke, May 22nd, 1938.
E. Orsborn to Lachute, Que., March, 1939.

Presbytery of North Bay and Temiskaming

Induction:

P. W. Graham, M.A., into Englehart, May 17th, 1938.

Appointment:

G. Lloyd Evans to Mission duty at Huntsville, December 18th, 1938.

Receptions:

P. W. Graham, M.A., from Presbytery of Brandon.
G. Lloyd Evans from Presbytery of Hamilton.

Translation:

J. A. Sutherland, North Bay, leaving April 30th, 1939.

Presbytery of Algoma

Changes in Congregation:

Laird has been abandoned as a Preaching Station on the Bar River Field.

SAUGEEN PRESBYTERY

Inductions:
Horace Kaye, B.Th., into Amos, etc., December 9th, 1938.
K. Hunter Palmer, D.D., into Palmerston, March 21st, 1939.

Appointment:
W. N. Ferguson for Home Mission duty, January 1st, 1939.
Installation at Mount Forest, January 27th, 1939.

Receptions:
Horace Kaye from Presbytery of Bruce, December 9th, 1938.
K. Hunter Palmer, D.D., from Presbytery of Prince Albert, March 21st, 1939.

Resignation:
T. Lewis Williams, B.D., from Harriston, March 26th, 1939.

Translations:
A. L. Howard, Ph.D., to Barrie Presbytery.
A. W. K. Herdman to Paris Presbytery.
S. Lawrence to Presbytery of Toronto.

Changes in Roll:
W. N. Ferguson from Appendix to Constituent Roll.
Robert Honeyman to Constituent Roll by Action of Assembly.

PRESBYTERY OF GUELPH

Ordination:
J. S. Wright, B.A., August 18th, 1938.

Inductions:
J. C. Grier, B.A., into Knox Church, Guelph, June 28th, 1938.
J. S. Wright, B.A., into Elmira, etc., August 18th, 1938.
D. M. Kerr, into Waterloo, September 22nd, 1938.

Receptions:
J. C. Grier, B.A., from Presbytery of Lindsay.
J. S. Wright, B.A., as Licentiate of Toronto Presbytery.
D. M. Kerr from Presbytery of Stratford.

Resignation:
A. O. MacDonald, M.A., B.D., from St. Andrew's, Fergus, April 1st, 1939.

JNO. LINDSAY,
Clerk of Synod.

SYNOD OF HAMILTON AND LONDON

LIST OF CHANGES DURING SYNOD YEAR

PRESBYTERY OF HAMILTON

Inductions:
H. M. Coulter, B.A., Knox Church, St. Catharines, September 29, 1938.
A. N. McMillan, Caledonia, December 15, 1938.

Ordination and Induction:
G. L. Douglas, B.A., Niagara Falls, May 26, 1938.

Resignations:
E. Pugh Thomas, Ph.D., Ancaster, etc., April 5, 1938.
Frank Kovacs, Hungarian (Hamilton), April 5, 1938.
G. Lloyd Evans, Jarvis, etc., November 27, 1938.

PRESBYTERY OF HAMILTON—*Continued*

Translations:
M. E. R. Boudreau, B.D., Caledonia to Picton, April 25, 1938.
F. S. Morley, B.D., St. Catharines to Montreal, May 9, 1938.
Donald McQueen, Dunnville to Lindsay, January 29, 1939.

Stated Supply:
John McNab, B.D., Ancaster, etc., for a year, June 5, 1938.
G. Taylor-Munro, Stamford, etc., for a year, May 12, 1938.
Charles Kovacs, Hungarian, Hamilton, until March 31, 1939.

Student Licensed:
Wm. Sutherland, B.D., June 21, 1938.

Appendix to Roll:
Frank Kovacs, April 5, 1938.
E. Pugh Thomas, Ph.D., April 5, 1938.
G. Lloyd Evans, November 27, 1938.

Changes Affecting Congregations:
Nelson disjoined from Waterdown, January 5, 1939.
Nelson united with Waterdown, etc., for one year, April 1, 1939.

PRESBYTERY OF PARIS

There were no changes.

PRESBYTERY OF LONDON

Resignations:
D. C. Soules, September 30, 1938, from Alma St., St. Thomas.
James H. Moore, September 30, 1938, from Wallacetown and West Lorne later inducted into Shakespeare charge March 7, 1939.
M. L. Sharpe from Kintyre and Wardsville, March 30, 1938.

Induction:
Richard Russell, B.A., M.Th., appointed Ordained Missionary at Knollwood Park, December 1, 1938.

Translation:
Wallace McClean from Ailsa Craig to Leamington, December 31, 1938.

PRESBYTERY OF CHATHAM

Translations:
J. L. W. McLean, M.A., on August 31, 1938, to Presbytery of Victoria.
A. Neil Miller, B.A., B.D., on January 15, 1939, to Presbytery of Toronto.
E. F. Molnar, Ph.D., March 31, 1939, to Presbytery of Hamilton.

Inductions:
Wallace McClean at Leamington on January 12, 1939.
Scarth Macdonnell, B.A., at Windsor, March 23, 1939.

PRESBYTERY OF SARNIA

Ordination:
Rev. Drummond W. Oswald, M.A., May 2, 1938, at Brigden.

Induction:
Rev. T. W. Mills, B.A., May 3, 1938, at Beechwood.

Translation:
Rev. James Milroy, M.A., March 7, 1939, Sarnia to Montreal.

Resignation:
Rev. David Ritchie, B.A., Point Edward, September 18, 1938.

PRESBYTERY OF STRATFORD

Inductions:

J. R. Greig, Atwood, January 20, 1939.
H. R. Williams, Avonton and Motherwell, February 3, 1939.
J. H. Moore, Shakespeare, etc., March 8, 1939.
J. T. Strachan, First Church, St. Mary's, April 6, 1939.

PRESBYTERY OF HURON

Induction:

Hugh Jack, Seaforth, June 10, 1938.

PRESBYTERY OF MAITLAND

Resignation:

J. K. MacGillivray, M.A., Ashfield, April 30, 1938.

Ordination and Induction:

Reynolds Esler, B.A., Ashfield, etc., July 26, 1938.

Induction:

Samuel Kerr, B.A., B.D., Brussels, August 18, 1938.

Translations:

Arthur Leggett to Norval, January 1, 1939.
John R. Greig to Atwood, January 15, 1939.

PRESBYTERY OF BRUCE

Ordination and Induction:

Wm. Sutherland, B.A., B.D., at Wiarton, October 26, 1938.

Induction:

J. M. McCurlie at Walkerton, November 3, 1938.

Translations:

Horace Kaye, B.Th. to Saugeen Presbytery.
J. T. Strachan, B.A., B.D., to Stratford Presbytery, March, 1939.

Changes Affecting Congregations:

Hepworth became part of Wiarton charge, May 16, 1938.

Death:

Rev. Major J. C. Tolmie died since last Synod meeting, May 15, 1938.

THE SYNOD OF MANITOBA

CHANGES IN PRESBYTERIES FROM NOVEMBER 15TH, 1937 TO OCTOBER 11TH, 1938

PRESBYTERY OF SUPERIOR

Induction:

Rev. J. N. Hepburn of the Presbytery of Macleod into Knox Church, Fort Frances, January 4th, 1938.

Transfers:

Rev. J. S. Flook from the Presbytery of Brandon, April 1938, upon his being given a twelve-months appointment to First Church, Fort William by the General Board of Missions.

Rev. W. S. Atkinson from the Appendix to the Roll to the Presbytery of Algoma, April 1938, on his receiving a twelve month appointment to Hawk Junction, Ont., from the General Board of Missions.

PRESBYTERY OF WINNIPEG

Induction:

R. McKay Esler at St. James, April 7th, 1938.

Ordination:

Alexander F. MacSween, B.A., ordained in Kildonan Church at the request of the Board of Missions, April 26th, 1938.

Translation:

Rev. E. L. Garvin from Knox Church, Selkirk to St. Andrew's Church, Lethbridge, May 31st, 1938.

Certificates issued:

Rev. A. F. MacSween to the Presbytery of Peace River.
Rev. E. L. Garvin to the Presbytery of Macleod.

PRESBYTERY OF BRANDON

Resignation:

Rev. P. W. Graham, M.A., from the charge of Carberry and Wellwood, March, 1938.

Induction:

Rev. Oliver E. Mann inducted to the charge of Carberry and Wellwood, September 30th, 1938.

DAVID JOHNSTONE,
Clerk of Synod.

THE SYNOD OF SASKATCHEWAN

CHANGES AFFECTING MINISTERS, ETC.

PRESBYTERY OF SASKATOON

Transfer:

Rev. James Wilson, from Biggar, Sask., to Moose Jaw, Sask., October 19th, 1938.

PRESBYTERY OF REGINA

Resignation:

Rev. Scarth Macdonnell from Northside Church, Regina, August, 1938, called to Amherstburg, Ont.

PRESBYTERY OF MOOSE JAW

Appointment:

Rev. Donald B. Cram, B.A., to Assiniboia, Sask., September 21st, 1938.
Rev. James Wilson, to Moose Jaw, Sask., October 19th, 1938.

PRESBYTERY OF PRINCE ALBERT

Resignation:

Rev. James Hagen of Meath Park, Sask., June 30th, 1938.
Rev. J. A. Gowland, M.A., from Tisdale, Sask., August 31st, to do Post Graduate work.
Rev. K. Hunter Palmer, from St. Paul's Church, Prince Albert, October 31st, 1938.

THOMAS MURPHY,
Clerk of Synod of Saskatchewan.

SYNOD OF ALBERTA

Presbytery of Peace River

Resignation:
J. M. Fraser from Brownvale, May, 1939.

Appointments:
A. F. MacSween, B.A., to Wanham, April, 1938.
H. K. Caslor to Brownvale, May, 1939.

Presbytery of Edmonton

Resignations:
W. S. Brooker from Wainwright, September 18th, 1938.
M. S. Blackburn from Vegreville and Ranfurly, June 30th, 1938.

Translation:
J. W. Cook from Rochfort Bridge to High River, Presbytery of Calgary, March 9th, 1939.

Appointment:
R. S. Stevens, D.D., to Wainwright, September 25th, 1938.

Death:
James Kelly, Morinville, March 9th, 1939.

Presbytery of Red Deer

Translation:
Hugh Jack, B.A., from Red Deer, Alta., to Seaforth, Ont., May, 1938.

Induction:
R. L. Taylor to Innisfail, September, 1938.

Appointment:
R. A. Sinclair to Sylvan Lake, April, 1938.

Presbytery of Calgary

Appointment:
Kalman D. Toth, B.D., Th.D., as Hungarian Missionary in Calgary.

Transferred to Appendix:
M. G. Garabedian, B.D., April 1st, 1938.
Donald B. Cram, October 1st, 1938.

Certificate Received:
W. J. Cook, B.A., from Presbytery of Edmonton.

Presbytery of Macleod

Induction:
E. L. Garvin, Lethbridge, June 22nd, 1938.

F. D. Roxburgh,
Clerk of Synod.

THE SYNOD OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

List of Changes During Synod Year

Presbytery of Westminster

Inductions:
Harold G. Funston, B.A., Prince Rupert, April 26th, 1938.
M. P. Blackburn, Kamloops, September 28th, 1938.
Gardner Dickey, B.A., Knox, Sapperton, March 20th, 1939.

Resignations:
Gardner Dickey, B.A., from Kamloops, June 30th, 1938.
Duncan Campbell, D.D., from Knox, Sapperton, June 30th, 1938.
R. C. Creelman, B.A., from West Point Grey, June 30th, 1938.
J. S. Patterson from St. Andrew's, North Vancouver, September 30th, 1938.
Alex. Esler, D.D., from Robertson, September 30th, 1938.
R. C. Acheson, from Vancouver Heights, February 28th, 1939.

Appointments:
D. A. Fowlie to Buchanan, October 1st, 1938.
J. S. Patterson to St. Columba, October 1st, 1938.

Certificates Received:
M. S. Blackburn from Presbytery of Edmonton.
Wm. Bell from Presbytery of Victoria.
H. N. Maclean, Ph.D., from Presbytery of Victoria.

Certificates Granted:
R. C. Creelman, to Presbytery of Toronto.

Changes Affecting Congregations:
Mission Field of Strawberry Hill and Newton, joined with St. Aidan's.
St. Andrew's and St. Stephen's, North Vancouver, united, J. C. McLean Bell, Minister.

Presbytery of Kootenay

Ordination:
William Ernest Smyth, B.A., Creston, May 5th, 1938.

Resignation:
James F. Bell, Knox Church, Cranbrook, September 30th, 1938.

Appendix Roll:
James F. Bell, Cranbrook, September 30th, 1938.

Presbytery of Victoria

Certificate Granted:
William Bell to Westminster Presbytery, July 1st, 1938.
Hector N. Maclean, Ph.D., to Westminster Presbytery, May 23rd, 1938.

Certificates Received:
W. F. Gold from Presbytery of Edmonton, July 20th, 1938.
J. Lewis W. McLean, from Presbytery of Chatham, September 1st, 1938.

Deaths:
W. E. Daly, LL.D., 29th January, 1939.

Appendix Roll:
D. Munro, 31st March, 1939.

Sooke, B.C.,
31st March, 1939.

S. Lundie,
Clerk.

LIST OF CLERKS OF SYNODS AND PRESBYTERIES AND

	Synods and Presbyteries	Clerks	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Pension Fund
	I. Synod of the Maritime Provinces	Frank Baird, D.D.	G. S. Mitchell	G. S. Mitchell	W. M. Townsend, D.D.
1	Cape Breton and Newfoundland	A. D. MacKinnon	M. M. MacOdrum, Ph.D.	M. M. MacOdrum, Ph.D.	J. W. Smith
2	Pictou	N. D. Kennedy	F. G. MacDonald	F. G. MacDonald	E. G. B. Foote
3	Halifax and Lunenburg	C. M. Kerr, Ph.D.	Geo. M. Dix	Geo. M. Dix	D. W. McDonald
4	Saint John	Samuel Davies, Ph.D.	J. W. Paul	J. W. Paul	
5	Miramichi	L. Olgers	P. M. Sampson	P. M. Sampson	M. E. Genge, D.D.
6	Prince Edward Island	W. O. Rhoad	G. C. Webster	W. L. Detlor	R. H. Stavert
	II. Synod of Montreal and Ottawa	Allan S. Reid, D.D.	A. M. Hill, D.D.	A. M. Hill, D.D.	Henry Cousens
7	Quebec	Robert Stewart	J. Lloyd Hughes	J. Lloyd Hughes	
8	Montreal	Allan S. Reid, D.D.	A. M. Hill, D.D.	A. M. Hill, D.D.	D. M. Rowat
9	Glengarry	James G. Berry, D.D.	E. E. Preston	W. Fitzsimmons	G. S. Lloyd
10	Ottawa	Hugh Cameron, D.D.	C. L. Mitchell	C. L. Mitchell	W. Patterson, D.D.
11	Lanark and Renfrew	James Foote	A. J. Fowlie	A. J. Fowlie	A. J. Fowlie
12	Brockville	Wm. Merrilees	W. D. Turner	W. D. Turner	J. Burkholder
	III. Synod of Toronto and Kingston	John Lindsay	A. G. Rintoul	A. G. Rintoul	John Lindsay
13	Kingston	Chas. E. Dougan, Ph.D.	A. E. Cameron	A. E. Cameron	J. W. Walker
14	Peterborough	Gordon R. Duncan	A. T. Barr, Ph.D.	A. T. Barr, Ph.D.	D. A. McKenzie
15	Lindsay	Robert Simpson	Ewart W. B. McKay	Ewart W. B. McKay	J. C. Robinson
16	Toronto	J. B. Skene	E. Foreman	James Wilson, D.D.	John Lindsay
17	Orangeville	T. O. Miller	Wm. Mackintosh	Wm. Mackintosh	C. Graham Jones
18	Barrie	N. R. D. Sinclair	P. W. MacInnes	A. J. Preston	
19	North Bay and Temiskaming				
20	Algoma	F. W. Acheson	Roy J. Stewart	Roy J. Stewart	
21	Saugeen	Robert Honeyman	S. W. Hirtle	S. W. Hirtle	W. N. Ferguson
22	Guelph	E. A. Thomson	J. L. Burgess	J. D. Smart, Ph.D.	Col. W. M. O. Lochead
	IV. Synod of Hamilton and London	Austin L. Budge	J. M. Macgillivray	J. M. Macgillivray	D.T.L.McKerroll, D.D.
23	Hamilton	Austin L. Budge	W. A. J. Graham	R. Moynan	P. A. Dunn
24	Paris	E. G. Thompson	H. H. Turner, Ph.D.	H. H. Turner, Ph.D.	J. W. Whillans
25	London	John McNair, D.D.	J. M. Laird	J. M. Laird	F. W. Gilmour
26	Chatham	J. C. Herbison	E. A. Wright	E. A. Wright	Wm. Moore
27	Sarnia	R. T. Rutherdale	D. W. Oswald	D. W. Oswald	A. G. Scott
28	Stratford	W. J. West	J. N. McFaul	J. N. McFaul	A. W. Hare
29	Huron	D. C. Hill	J. H. Barnett, Ph.D.	J. H. Barnett, Ph.D.	
30	Maitland	John Pollock	C. H. Macdonald	C. H. Macdonald	J. R. Esler
31	Bruce	P. Reith	Wm. Sutherland	Wm. Sutherland	P. Reith
	V. Synod of Manitoba	D. Johnstone	J. A. McMahon	J. A. McMahon	N. G. Smith
32	Superior	J. A. McMahon	Judge J. McKay	Judge J. McKay	J. A. McMahon
33	Winnipeg	D. Johnstone	A. Renshaw, P. F. MacSween.	A. Renshaw, P. F. MacSween.	Col. J. B. Mitchell
34	Brandon	W. J. Allen	M. P. Floyd	M. P. Floyd	Wm. Weir
	VI. Synod of Saskatchewan	Thomas Murphy	Gordon S. Baulch	Gordon S. Baulch	C. Younger-Lewis
35	Regina				W. J. Moffat
36	Moose Jaw	C. Younger-Lewis	C. Younger-Lewis	C. Younger-Lewis	W. W. Moore
37	Prince Albert	R. G. McKay	R. G. McKay	R. G. McKay	J. H. Cameron
38	Saskatoon	Thomas Murphy	Gordon S. Baulch	Gordon S. Baulch	
	VII. Synod of Alberta	F. D. Roxburgh, D.D.	T. A. Rodger	T. A. Rodger	E. L. Garvin
39	Peace River	C. E. Fisher	C. E. Fisher	C. E. Fisher	A. F. MacSween
40	Edmonton	F. D. Roxburgh, D.D.	F. D. Roxburgh, D.D.	F. D. Roxburgh, D.D.	
41	Red Deer				
42	Calgary	R. H. Williams	T. A. Rodger	T. A. Rodger	R. H. Williams
43	Macleod	A. J. Sinclair	W.D.G.Hollingworth		Hugh Macintosh
	VIII. Synod of British Columbia	S. Lundie	A. C. Wishart	A. C. Wishart	D. M. Sutherland
44	Kootenay	F. G. St. Denis	F. G. St. Denis	F. G. St. Denis	F. G. St. Denis
45	Westminster	J. McLean-Bell, Phm.B.	W. A. Cameron, D.D.	W. A. Cameron, D.D.	A. H. McRobbie
46	Victoria	S. Lundie	James Hyde	James Hyde	J. M. Cooper

CONVENERS OF STANDING COMMITTEES—FOR 1939

Sabbath Schools and Young People's Societies	Colleges	Evangelism and Church Life and Work	Historical Committee	Statistics	Budget or General Interests	
Quincy A. McDowell		William Verwolf	S. Buchanan Carey	Frank Baird, D.D.	Hugh Munroe, D.D.	
A. D. MacKinnon	Chas. S. Miller	J. W. Smith	A. W. R. MacKenzie	A. D. MacKinnon	Quincy A. McDowell	1
W. L. MacLellan	D. A. Campbell	Wm. Ooms	S. B. Carey	N. D. Kennedy	Hugh Munroe, D.D.	2
A. Allen	C. M. Kerr, Ph.D.	Murray Y. Fraser		C. M. Kerr, Ph.D.	W. A. Cunningham	3
V. E. Osborn	Samuel Davies, Ph.D	Robert McLean	C. J. St.C. Jeans	Samuel Davies, Ph.D.	C. A. McVey	4
R. J. Kirkland	M. E. Genge, D.D.	P. M. Sampson	W. F. Yorston	L. Olgers	R. J. Kirkland	5
Wallace Wadland	J. C. MacNeil	Wm. Verwolf	R. Moorhead-Legate, D.D.	W. O. Rhoad	A. S. McLean	6
L. H. Fowler		H. S. Lee	W. D. Reid, D.D.	Allan S. Reid, D.D.	Norman A.MacLeod D.D.	
Donald S. Traill		J. R. Graham	Robert Stewart	Robert Stewart	J. R. Graham	7
	F. Scott Mackenzie, D.D.	A. Nimmo	Geo. Whillans	Allan S. Reid, D.D.	H. R. Pickup	8
R. W. Ellis	Walter Ross	D.N.MacMillan, Ph.D.	M. N. MacDonald	James G. Berry, D.D.	P. E. Campbell	9
J. Logan-Vencta	R. Good	R. Johnston, D.D.	Hugh Cameron, D.D.	Hugh Cameron, D.D.	R. Johnston, D.D.	10
L. H. Fowler	H. A. Berlis	H. T. Kalem	G. W. Conners, Ph.D.	James Foote	Kenneth McCaskill	11
J. A. Koffend	Geo. McGregor	H. P. Maitland		Wm. Merrilees	Wm. Merrilees	12
M. E. R. Boudreau		J. S. Shortt, D.D.	M. B. Davidson, D.D.	John Lindsay	J. A. MacInnis	
M. E. R. Boudreau	J. W. Stephen, D.D.	Peter Jamieson	Chas.E.Dougan, Ph.D	Chas.E.Dougan, Ph.D	C. E. Kidd	13
B. Simpson Black		C. G. Graham		Gordon R. Duncan	J. W. Foote	14
Graham M. Jamieson	Donald McQueen	P. Thornton Meek	Robert Simpson	Robert Simpson	Wm. McRoberts	15
D. Crawford Smith	H. Carmichael, Ph.D	W. T. McCree		J. B. Skene	Stuart C. Parker, D.D.	16
C. Graham Jones	Geo. Aitken, Th.D.	H. L. Simpson	Geo. Aitken, Th.D.	T. O. Miller	T. W. Goodwill	17
J. M. Ritchie	W. MacMillan, D.D.	A. C. Stewart	J. S. Shortt, D.D.	N. R. D. Sinclair	J. A. MacInnis	18
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C. G. Boyd		C. G. Boyd	F. W. Acheson	F. W. Acheson	A. D. Sutherland	20
Horace Kaye	S. W. Hirtle	George Killen		Robert Honeyman	S. W. Hirtle	21
J. C. Grier	D. H. Marshall	M. B. Davidson, D.D.		E. A. Thomson	W. Patterson	22
John C. Greig	H. H. Turner, Ph.D.	M. Scott Fulton, D.D.	R. Duncanson	J. M. Laird	Kenneth MacLean	
K. W. House	W. B. Mitchell	S. Banks Nelson, D.D.	D. H. Currie	Austin L. Budge	R. A. Cranston	23
D. Gowdy	A. C. Cochrane	A. R. Ferguson	J. Skene	E. G. Thompson	G. D. Johnston	24
Charles Carnegy	Jas. MacKay, D.D.	Fred. D. Douglas	F.W.McConnell, D.D.	John McNair, D.D.	Donald McKay	25
N. MacKay	C. A. McRae, Ph.D.	M. Scott Fulton, D.D.		J. C. Herbison	J. S. Howat	26
W. R. Adams	R. T. Rutherdale	W. B. MacOdrum		R. T. Rutherdale	J. M. Macgillivray	27
J. K. West		A. R. Gibson	A. W. Hare	W. J. West	C. S. Oke	28
D. C. Hill	George A. Peddie	Hugh Jack	Fred. G. Weir	D. C. Hill	D. J. Lane	29
S. Kerr	S. M. Scott	G. M. Young		John Pollock	J. D. Wilkie	30
James Fleming	H. G. Cleghorn	S. Moore Gordon		P. Reith	A. H. Wilson	31
John Fleck		W. J. Allen	D. Johnstone	D. Johnstone	J. F. Wedderburn	
J. N. Hepburn				J. A. McMahon	A. H. Johnston	32
N. G. Smith		John Fleck	D. Johnstone	D. Johnstone	R. McK. Esler	33
W. J. Allen		J. H. Stewart		W. J. Allen	W. J. Caldwell	34
Malcolm Ransom	Thos. Murphy	C. A. Ronald Rowat	Stuart Muirhead	Thomas Murphy	W. G. Brown	35
A. Roscamp	D.G.Cameron, D.D.	A. Roscamp	D.G.Cameron, D.D.	C. Younger-Lewis	W. J. Moffat	36
R. C. Archer	W. W. Moore	W. W. Moore	W. W. Moore	R. G. McKay	R. McLeod	37
John Brent	C. A. Ronald Rowat	Malcolm Ransom	Donald Munro	Thomas Murphy	W. G. Brown	38
R. L. Taylor		D. St.C. Campbell		F. D. Roxburgh, D.D.	Ross K. Cameron	
A. F. MacSween		C. E. Fisher	A. F. MacSween	C. E. Fisher	C. E. Fisher	39
Andrew Walker	Ross K. Cameron	Wm. Simons	F. D. Roxburgh, D.D.	F. D. Roxburgh, D.D.	R. J. Burton	40
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C. M. Cameron	A. Bright	J. Hart		R. H. Williams	J. A. Clark	42
E. L. Garvin				A. J. Sinclair	J. J. Nott	43
H. Lennox	D. J. Donaghue	R. C. Acheson		S. Lundie	C. H. Gordon	
W. E. Smyth	F. G. St. Denis	F. G. St. Denis	F. G. St. Denis	F. G. St. Denis	F. G. St. Denis	44
John McTurk	D. J. Donaghue	W. Ellis	J. R. Frizell	J. C. McLean-Bell, Phm.B.	Harry Lennox	45
T. H. McAllister	P. McNabb	James Hyde		S. Lundie	Alex. Cruickshank	46

Memorial Record

REV. DONALD MacODRUM, B.A., D.D.

"The Presbytery of Brockville herewith desires to place on record its deep sense of loss in the passing to his Higher Reward of the Rev. Donald MacOdrum, B.A., D.D., minister of the pastoral charge of First Church, Brockville, in the seventy-fifth year of his age.

The late Dr. MacOdrum was born at Mira, N.S., and educated at Sydney and Pictou Academies, Dalhousie University, from which he received the degree of B.A., and Halifax Presbyterian College, from which he graduated in 1889. For some years thereafter, he taught school. He entered the active ministry of the Church in 1899, being inducted into the pastoral charge of Marion Bridge, Cape Breton.

During his long ministry, he served the Church in the following pastoral charges, *viz:* Marion Bridge, Cape Breton, 1899-1902; Monkton, N.B., 1902-1913; Pembroke, Ont., 1913-1918; St. Andrew's, Halifax, N.S., 1918-1925; and First Church, Brockville, Ont., 1925 until the time of his death.

The Missionary work of the Church was very dear to his heart and, in the interest of that work, he had visited the Mission Fields of the Church in Trinidad, British Guiana, Japan, Korea, Manchuria and India as a Deputy of the Church. Faithful in his attendance in the Courts of the Church, he gave freely of his time and interest to the work of the many committees of which he was a member in the Presbytery, the Synod and the General Assembly. Recognizing his high qualities and qualifications, his brethren had honoured him on many occasions. Besides having been Moderator of Presbytery, he was a past Moderator of the Synod of Montreal and Ottawa and, at the time of his death, was Moderator of the General Assembly.

For his contributions to the public life of the communities in which he had served, as well as their religious interests, Queen's University in 1931 conferred on him the degree of D.D. As a preacher, he was sane and evangelical, glorying in the great truths of the Gospel and bringing all his qualities of mind and heart to bear on their exposition and enforcement. He was truly, 'a workman that needeth not to be ashamed.'

Unassuming by nature, and of a sincere and kindly disposition, his manner was such that he won the respect and affection of those with whom he came in contact. A devoted Presbyter, he was wise in counsel and held in honour by his brethren.

The Presbytery would commend his sorrowing widow and family to the tender mercy of the God of all consolation and comfort and would pray that He would give to them 'the oil of joy' in their time of mourning.

'Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord.'"

Extracted from the Records of the Presbytery of Brockville this eleventh day of July nineteen hundred and thirty-eight.

Synod of the Maritime Provinces

REV. J. A. KENNEDY

The Rev. J. A. Kennedy passed away suddenly at Port Elgin, N.B., on March the 4th, 1938, in the 75th year of his age.

He was a graduate of Toronto University and Knox College, and for thirty years served in Western Canada, where he filled the following successful pastorates; Irricana, Riverhurst, Qu'Appelle and North Regina.

Eight and a half years ago he came to the Maritimes, and was called to the charge at Port Elgin, where he lived and laboured up to the time of his death.

Besides his wife, he leaves one son, A. W. Kennedy, Toronto, and one brother, Joshua, Lindsay, to mourn his loss.

The Synod records its profound appreciation of the life and ministry of Mr. Kennedy, and extends its deep sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Mr. Kennedy was a man of strict integrity, firm principle, and conscientious. He was a keen student of the Word, a faithful pastor, and a fine friend.

In these respects—may his mantle fall on us.

The funeral service was held in St. James Presbyterian Church, Port Elgin, N.B. The Rev. V. E. Orsborn presided and gave the address in which he paid a well merited tribute of love and esteem. The mortal remains were laid to rest at Lindsay, Ont., where Mr. Kennedy was born.

REV. F. W. TINGLEY

Rev. F. W. Tingley died after a somewhat protracted illness in the Taunton State Hospital, Taunton, Massachusetts, on December 27th, 1938, in the 63rd year of his age, he having been born on October 6th, 1876, in Milford, Massachusetts.

Mr. Tingley's education was secured and his earlier ministry was spent in The Presbyterian Church, U.S.A., in the States of Massachusetts and Maine. He was ordained in Maine, after a course in the Bangor Theological Seminary there. From Framingham, Massachusetts, he came to Hopewell, N.S., in 1926; and in 1927 he was called to St. Paul's Church, Glace Bay, in the Presbytery of Cape Breton and Newfoundland. He remained here some four years, afterwards accepting a call to St. Stephen, in the Presbytery of Saint John, where he was settled in June, 1931, and resigned, owing to ill health on May 27th, 1934, after which he returned to the United States, his name being retained on the Appendix to the Roll of the Presbytery of Saint John until the time of his death as above.

The late Mr. Tingley was one of those who responded early to the call for ministers in the Maritime Synod after the exodus of so many to join the United Church of Canada. He was a sound Gospel and Evangelical preacher, a diligent and successful pastor, and as long as his health continued good, a useful and diligent minister of the Church of his adoption.

The Presbyteries of Pictou, where he first laboured, Cape Breton and Newfoundland, where he had his longest ministry, and Saint John, where his work came to a close, all regret to learn of Mr. Tingley's passing, and join with the Synod as a whole in appreciation of the service he rendered while within the bounds, and in expressions of condolence to Mrs. Tingley, at whose former home in Yarmouth, Massachusetts, interment was made on December 29th, 1938.

REV. H. WILSON SIEBER, B.A., Th.B.

It is with a very deep sense of loss that Pictou Presbytery records the death of Rev. H. Wilson Sieber at his home in Pennsylvania on May 24th, 1939. Mr. Sieber had been in very poor health for some seven months, suffering from a recurrence of rheumatic fever. Due to continued ill health, he resigned from his charge at Hopewell and Eureka, N.S., in April, and with Mrs. Sieber and their two small children, he returned to his home in Mifflintown, Pa. On May 20th he suffered a second severe stroke, from which he failed to rally, and he passed on to be with his Lord on May 24th.

Mr. Sieber was a graduate of Westminster Theological Seminary in Philadelphia, Pa. While a student there, he supplied a summer at Merigomish, N.S. Upon his graduation, he received and accepted a call from East River St. Mary's, N.S., where he was ordained and inducted in the summer of 1934. After a very successful ministry of two years in that field, he was called to become Pastor of the Hopewell and Eureka churches in the Fall of 1936.

His loyalty to the Word of God and his strong devotion to duty won for him the highest respect and deep love of his congregations. He was also a very faithful Presbyter. Every Session of Presbytery and Synod found him not only in his place, but willing to take his share of the work and responsibility. He was deeply interested in young people's work, and was a valuable help in carrying on Young People's Conferences and Rallies. In the congregations which he served, he was an indefatigable worker and an earnest preacher of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. His sympathetic understanding of his people and his eagerness to enter into their needs made him loved by all. Truly it could be said of him that he was engaged in the King's business in season and out of season. His ministry, although so brief, was filled with service for the Master whom he loved, and only eternity can reveal how much his ministry was owned and blessed of God. He has gone on before and has heard the wonderful words, "Well done, thou good and faithful servant, enter thou into the joy of thy Lord".

He is survived by his widow and two small children, whom we commend to the loving care of our Heavenly Father.

Synod of Montreal and Ottawa

REV. W. J. FOWLER, B.A., M.A., B.D.

The following resolution was passed by the Presbytery of Montreal:—

Rev. W. J. Fowler who passed away October the 23rd, 1938, was born in the State of Maine, in September, 1856. His parents being Canadians moved into the Province of New Brunswick in his childhood days, and he received his early education at Doaktown, N.B.

Upon attaining young manhood, he took his University degree from the University of New Brunswick, receiving both his B.A., and M.A., from that institution. For two years he was Principal of the Harkins Academy, Newcastle, N.B.

With the Presbyterian Ministry in view, he studied Theology at Queen's University, graduating B.D. in the Spring of 1887.

His first charge was at New Richmond, Quebec. From there he was called to Excuminac, Quebec, where he laboured for some time. From there he was invited to Sherbrooke, N.S., then to Kirkland, N.B., and later to Elderbank, N.S.

In 1910 he was invited to take charge of Stanley Street Presbyterian Church, in Montreal, as Stated Supply. He preached for nearly two years in the old Stanley Church adjoining the Windsor Hotel. During the interim between his services in Stanley Church and his next charge, Mr. Fowler served gratuitously as Librarian of the Presbyterian College Library, Montreal.

Later he was called to the Fort Coulonge Presbyterian Church, Quebec. Here he remained until he decided to retire in 1927. Returning to Montreal with his wife and family he settled in Notre Dame de Grace. In his retirement he did a great deal of supply work for this and other Presbyteries.

Mr. Fowler was eminently successful in all his charges, leaving behind him a wonderful reputation as a saintly servant of Jesus Christ, and leaving the impact of a good man in all communities where he served.

As a preacher, he was clear, simple, and fervently Evangelical, his sermons being always clothed in beautiful language. As a Pastor he was faithful and beloved.

As a Presbyter he was constant in attendance at all meetings, and served well on many committees, taking an active interest in all the courts of the Church.

He was a man of very strong convictions. One of his favourite subjects was the duty of all Christians giving their tithe to the Lord's work. He wrote some very able pamphlets upon the subject, which are still in circulation in the church. He not only preached it, but practised it all his ministerial life.

On the question of Church Union he held very decided views. To the press he contributed some very strong letters upon the subject. Like Barnabas of old it can be truly said of him, "He was a good man and filled with the Holy Ghost."

Our Presbytery is much the poorer because of his demise. He lived a long arduous and useful life in the Master's service, and now rests from his labours, and his works do follow him.

To his wife, three daughters, and son, this Presbytery tenders its sincere sympathy, and prays that the Great Comforter Himself may comfort them in the time of their sorrow.

REV. WILLIAM B. MacCALLUM

On November 2nd, 1938, the Rev. William Bailie MacCallum passed away at the age of 75 in the manse at St. Elmo, Ontario.

Mr. MacCallum had suffered from an ailment for many years which became acute only five weeks prior to his death.

He graduated from Auburn Theological Seminary, New York, in May, 1897. Here he had charge of the Chapel for two years, and in 1901 was inducted to the pastorate of Neshaminy Warminster Presbyterian Church, Hartsville, Pa.

He was called to New Richmond, Quebec, in 1908, where he remained until accepting a call to Shawville in 1914. His call to St. Elmo is dated November 2nd, 1925, and his death took place exactly thirteen years from this date.

In 1937 Mr. MacCallum was elected Moderator of the Synod of Montreal and Ottawa. He had been Clerk of the Presbytery of Glengarry since the decease of the Rev. Dr. P. A. MacLeod.

Mr. MacCallum was married in January, 1903, at Springhill, N.S. to Miss Christie Anna Fraser who proved a most valuable helpmeet to her husband in the charges he served.

Besides his widow, he leaves three daughters and two sons, Mrs. Harold Cummings, Montreal; Mrs. Harold Crain, Ottawa; Mrs. Dawson, Quebec; Ross W. MacCallum, Chicago; Samuel MacCallum at home.

The funeral of this earnest, faithful minister of the Gospel was conducted by the Presbytery of Glengarry, presided over by the Rev. G. S. Lloyd Cornwall, Moderator, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Malcolm Campbell, Montreal, Ex-Moderator of the General Assembly, and Rev. R. W. Ellis, Maxville. Rev. Dr. Allan S. Reid preached the sermon; and interment was made in the cemetery adjoining the church at St. Elmo.

REV. R. J. MILLAR, B.A.

The Presbytery of Montreal places on record its deep sense of the loss sustained in the death of the late Rev. Robert J. Millar, B.A., who passed away from this earthly life at his home at Lachute, Que., on February 24th, 1939, aged 79 years.

Mr. Millar was born in County Antrim, Ireland, and his early education was received in Queen's College, Belfast, and his degree of Bachelor of Arts in the Royal University of Ireland, with honours in Latin and Greek. His theological course was taken in the Assembly's College, Belfast.

He held pastorates in Ireland at Cavanaleck, and Garryduff. He came to Canada in the year 1912. He held pastorates in New Brunswick at Richmond and Grand Falls. In 1925 he remained true to The Presbyterian Church in Canada, and that same year was inducted at St. Andrew's East, Que., where he served for a number of years. He was then called to the congregation of Fort Coulonge in the Ottawa Presbytery.

In 1934 he retired from the active duties of the ministry. He made his home for some years at St. Andrew's East and then at Lachute, up to the time of his death.

Mr. Millar was a preacher of more than ordinary ability, a good student and a kindly, genial Christian gentleman.

To his widow and family the Presbytery of Montreal extends its deepest sympathy.

Synod of Toronto and Kingston

REV. DAVID ANDERSON, B.A.

Rev. David Anderson was born in Paisley, Ontario, in January, 1862. At the age of eleven he moved with his family to Kildonan, Manitoba.

He graduated from Manitoba College in 1885, and took a post-graduate course in Edinburgh. Returning to Canada he was ordained by the Presbytery of Brandon in June, 1886.

He held charges at Carberry and Springfield, Manitoba; and Munroe, Wisconsin. Coming to Ontario he was for several years minister at Milverton. From here he was called to Burlington, where he served for 21 years. In 1922 he moved to Toronto, and for a time had charge of the Forest Hill Mission. He was then called to Glebe Church, Toronto. In 1931 he accepted an invitation to St. Andrew's Church, Hamilton, Bermuda, where he served for one year. In 1933 he retired from the active ministry, but continued to render helpful and acceptable supply during the following years.

Mr. Anderson was a man of a most kindly disposition, modest and retiring, ever ready to lend a helping hand to ministers or congregations, in need of such help as he could give. He was a strong evangelical preacher and a kind and sympathetic pastor.

He passed away on September 21st, 1938, after a brief illness. The funeral service was held in Calvin Church, Toronto, of which he was a member. He is survived by his widow, five sons and one daughter.

The sympathy of the Presbytery of Toronto is extended to Mrs. Anderson and the other members of the family.

REV. T. D. McCULLOUGH, M.A.

Rev. T. D. McCullough was born in County Derry, Ireland, on August 2nd, 1868, and came with his family to this country at the age of 14.

He was educated in the University of Toronto and Knox College, graduating from the latter institution in 1895. He was ordained October 8th, 1895, and held pastorates at Dresden, Guthrie Church, Harriston, and Port Hope. After leaving Port Hope he was engaged in Children's Aid Work for a period of two years, and gave six years to the Community Service Council of Ontario with headquarters at London, Ontario.

In 1925 he was called to Knox Church, Kincardine, where he served for ten years. In this period he was also the efficient Clerk of the Presbytery of Maitland. His last charge was at Long Branch and Dixie in the Presbytery of Toronto.

Mr. McCullough served The Presbyterian Church in Canada with ability and fidelity in many important positions. He was for several years a member of the Board of Administration, Convener of the Budget Committee of the Synod of Hamilton and London, and later Convener of the Assembly's Budget Committee. He served also on the Senate of Knox College. His gifts and service were recognized by his election as Moderator of the Synod of Hamilton and London.

Mr. McCullough passed away on December 1st, 1938, at the Manse, Dixie, in his 71st year, after a brief illness. The funeral service was held in The Presbyterian Church at Dixie on December 5th, and was largely attended not only by the members of his congregation, but by many ministers and friends and former classmates, some of whom are in The Presbyterian Church in Canada and some in The United Church of Canada.

The service was in charge of the Presbytery of Toronto. Rev. C. K. Nicoll, Moderator, presided. Rev. J. B. Skene, and Dr. F. H. Larkin took part in the service, and the memorial address was given by close friends of many years, Dr. A. L. Burch and Dr. D. T. L. McKerroll. The service was a striking testimony to the high esteem in which Mr. McCullough was held and to his great capacity for friendship.

The interment took place at Harriston. Mr. McCullough is survived by his widow, three sons and six daughters.

REV. W. G. HANNA, B.D.

Rev. W. G. Hanna was born on October 1st, 1853, near Brussels, Huron County, Ontario. He took his Arts Course in the University of Toronto, from which he graduated with honours in 1881. He then attended Princeton Seminary, where he completed his Theological training.

He was ordained on January 14th, 1885, and inducted into the Pastoral Charge of Tara, in the Presbytery of Bruce. He held Pastorates also at Uxbridge, Mount Forest and Cookstown. For six years he served as one of the Secretaries to the Lord's Day Alliance of Canada for Eastern Canada.

Soon after coming to Toronto he was appointed as a lecturer at the Toronto Bible College, which position he filled with great acceptance for several years.

Upon his retirement in 1932, he rendered valuable service as Supply to some of the weaker charges in the Presbytery of Toronto, such as Mount Dennis.

Mr. Hanna was a sound scholar, a strong preacher, who served the Church with marked ability in his various Charges. He took an active part in the organization of the Presbyterian Church Association in 1916; and in the struggle for the continuance of our Church in the years that followed.

His death took place on January 27th, 1939, after a brief illness, in his 86th year. The Memorial Service was held in Victoria Church, Toronto, and was con-

ducted by Rev. J. Y. Fraser, Pastor of the Church, assisted by Dr. J. G. Inkster, a former Pastor of Mr. Hanna, Dr. James Wilson, and Rev. J. A. Mustard.

Mr. Hanna is survived by his widow, a son, Mr. W. G. Hanna, and a daughter, Mrs. Gordon L. Wallace.

REV. S. C. GRAEB

Rev. Solomon C. Graeb passed away on March 31st, 1939, in his eighty-second year, in the Toronto East General Hospital, after a prolonged illness.

Mr. Graeb was born on August 30th, 1857. He was educated at North Western College, Napierville, and at Knox College, Toronto. He was ordained on April 21st, 1883.

Mr. Graeb held pastorates at Port Dalhousie; Fern Avenue Church, Toronto, which under his leadership developed into the High Park Church (now Erskine United Church) and from which after 1925 was organized the present High Park Presbyterian Church, Toronto; Dalhousie, N.B., and Grand Valley, Ont., which was his last Charge. Mr. Graeb also served for some years with the Dominion Alliance.

Upon his retirement he resided in Toronto until the time of his death. Here he rendered valuable service for several years as supply, ever ready to lend a helping hand to weak and struggling congregations. Mr. Graeb was a strong evangelical preacher, and a good organizer.

A Memorial Service was held in High Park Presbyterian Church, conducted by the Minister, Rev. John V. Mills, assisted by Rev. C. K. Nicoll, of Oakville, Moderator of Presbytery; Dr. George C. Pidgeon, Minister of Bloor Street United Church, a friend of many years, and Dr. J. W. MacNamara, Clerk of Assembly. The address was given by Dr. Pidgeon, who paid a well deserved tribute to the faithful and devoted service rendered by Mr. Graeb as Pastor of Fern Avenue Church, which under his leadership developed into the strong and vigorous High Park congregations.

Mr. Graeb is survived by two daughters, Mrs. G. M. Bartman, of Toronto, and Miss Edna Graeb, of New York.

REV. W. G. JORDAN, B.A., D.D.

On the 31st day of May, 1939, at the great age of eighty-seven years Rev. Dr. Jordan ended his earthly race and passed to his reward. His had been a busy, quiet, selfless life, of high aim and steadfastness, enriched and made effective by goodness, tact, courage, talent, scholarship, and industry. He was a great preacher, a wise and devoted minister, and an able teacher, who left an abiding impression upon the people to whom he ministered and who moulded the thoughts of students and inspired them to high endeavour.

His greatest service however was as Professor of Hebrew and Old Testament Literature in Queen's, a post which he occupied for over 25 years, and as an author with more than a dozen critical books on the Bible and many articles in commentaries and theological journals to his credit.

Dr. Jordan was born in England and came to Canada in 1889 at the completion of his studies and after serving in the pastorate. He was for nine years minister of St. Andrew's Church, Strathroy. In ministerial service he showed deep interest in all classes, but specially in young men, in dealing with whom he demonstrated his breadth of view, his sympathy with youth, and wisdom in the methods adopted for their well-being.

Dr. Jordan is survived by a son, Dr. Dennis Jordan, eminent in the medical profession, and two daughters, Mrs. Ethel Leadbeater, and Mrs. Z. Davies.

The funeral service was held in St. Andrew's Church, Toronto, and was conducted by Rev. Dr. Stuart C. Parker, the minister, assisted by Rev. Prof. Ernest Scott, Rev. W. T. McCree, Rev. Dr. R. J. Wilson, and Professor Shaw.

Synod of Hamilton and London

REV. ROBERT JOHNSON, B.A., B.D., D.D.

Rev. Robert Johnston, D.D., retired minister living in St. Catharines, passed away on June 8, 1939, after fifty years of most distinguished service to his country and his church.

He was a native of the County of Bruce, receiving his early religious training in a little congregation, Bervie, a few miles from Kincardine, where another "lad o' pairts" soon followed him into fame, namely, Principal Miller, Edmonton, but preceded him in a call to higher service. The Johnston family were zealous for the Presbyterian Church, always taking the lead among the pioneers in securing the ordinances and supporting religion.

In physical appearance Robert Johnston was like Saul among men and when he measured his mental powers at McGill University, Montreal, and the Presbyterian College, it was found that he was almost a Solomon for wisdom. At both of those institutions he won the highest scholastic honours, graduating with gold medals from each in turn.

It was in 1889 that he was ordained and inducted at St. Andrew's Church, Lindsay, where his remarkable pulpit gifts were immediately recognized. Another St. Andrew's, the strong and influential congregation in London, soon called him and the next step was to the American Presbyterian Church, Montreal. For fifteen years he had the unique ministry of being officially in the Presbyterian Church U.S.A., and actually in Canada. In the great denomination across the line his light did not grow dim, but it was so much to the contrary, that his name came before its General Assembly as a candidate for the Moderatorship. Neither was he indifferent to his own country because the Montreal congregation for many years supported twenty Mission Fields in the North West.

Grace Church, Calgary, and Knox Church, St. Catharines, enjoyed the height of his fame and influence. Titles were set aside as each community recognized in him "the head of the church". The Presbytery of Hamilton, particularly, is indebted to him for the spirit which moved all men and a leadership which brought very valuable results. It was while in the office as Moderator of the Synod of Hamilton and London that the first warning came of physical weakness, and interrupted a plan of evangelism which was to be his supreme and final effort in the ministry.

The funeral was under the auspices of the Presbytery of Hamilton, Rev. R. G. Stewart, Moderator; Rev. H. M. Coulter, B.A., delivering the sermon; Dr. Rochester, Editor of the *Record*, a fellow student, represented the General Assembly; and Rev. Mr. James, Anglican, assisted. Rev. H. B. Ketchen, D.D., Hamilton, sent an affectionate tribute, which was read.

"In his prime," wrote Dr. Ketchen, "he was perhaps the most distinguished preacher in Canada, but fame only made him humbler. Endowed with unusual gifts, he consecrated them wholeheartedly to the service of God."

REV. ROBERT A. RAYSON, M.A., Ph.D.

Rev. Robert A. Rayson was born in Minto Township, Ontario, August 18th, 1858. He taught for some time in the Public Schools before entering upon his studies for the Ministry.

He attended Woodstock College, Ontario, and McCormick Theological Seminary, Chicago, from which he graduated.

After Ordination he ministered to several congregations of The Presbyterian Church U.S.A. Returning to Canada he served at Blind River, North Easthope, Delaware and Tillsonburg.

In his later years Dr. Rayson kept a book store in Toronto, dealing chiefly in religious works.

He passed away in the Toronto General Hospital, after a brief illness, from pneumonia, on May 13th, 1939, in his 81st year.

He is survived by his widow and one daughter, Mrs. Rose of Detroit, Michigan.

Synod of Manitoba

REV. G. E. LOUGHEED, B.A.

Rev. G. E. Lougheed passed away on December 19th, 1938, at his home in Brandon, Manitoba, at the age of seventy-two. He was born in Bolton, Ontario, December 9th, 1866, and was educated in Brampton, and Streetsville High Schools. He entered Toronto University and Knox College, taking second year Theology, and came West to complete his course in Manitoba College under Principal King, graduating in 1895.

He served the Church both in the East and West. He occupied the pulpits of Webbwood and Cobden, Ontario. Returning West he was called to Douglas, Manitoba. Then ministered later to McGregor, Stonewall, Rounthwaite, Brandon Hills and Blyth Presbyterian Churches, and was called to Moorepark and Creeford, all these charges in Manitoba.

In 1918 he was appointed Secretary of the Christian Brotherhood Federation, working hard until through a nervous breakdown he was compelled to give up pastoral work for a time.

In 1925, remaining with The Presbyterian Church in Canada, he put all his energy into reorganization work. St. John's Presbyerian Church and Norwood Presbyterian Church in Winnipeg were the result of his arduous labour.

He went East again in 1926 and served the following charges, Sudbury, Warkworth, Havelock and Harrington. Returning West in 1929, he gave valuable service in Saskatchewan in the following congregations, Whitewood, Stoughton and Broadview. Due to ill health he was forced to retire from the active work of the ministry and made his home in Brandon, Manitoba.

Mr. Lougheed was a member of the Regina Presbytery when he was called away. He thus completed forty-three years' service in the Presbyterian Church in Canada. In 1896 he married Margaret A. McLeod of Portage la Prairie, Manitoba, who survives him with two sons, Allister R. Lougheed, and W. H. of Winnipeg.

Interment was made in the Brandon cemetery. Rev. J. Forbes Wedderburn, M.A., B.D., First Presbyterian Church, assisted by Rev. W. J. Allen, of St. Andrew's conducted the service. Thus midst many sacrifices and earnest work a servant was called to a well-earned rest.

Synod of Alberta

REV. BELA BUCSIN

The following Memorial was passed by the Presbytery of Calgary:—

Rev. Bela Bucsin, Hungarian missionary of The Presbyterian Church in Canada to the Hungarians in Alberta, died in Calgary on July the 6th, 1938.

He was born at Munkacs, Hungary, in 1885; was a graduate of Munkacs' State Teacher's College; and taught school for several years. His work was interrupted by the great war, and was finally given up at the post-war foreign invasion.

Mr. Bucsin came to Canada in 1924, and took a prescribed course in Knox College, Toronto, while serving the Oshawa and Toronto Hungarians.

He was ordained by the Presbytery of Calgary in 1930, and worked among the Hungarians of Alberta until March, 1938, when his health broke down under the strenuous work.

The funeral service was held on July the 8th, 1938, in Knox Presbyterian Church, the Presbytery of Calgary being in charge. Interment was made in Burnsland Cemetery, Calgary.

REV. JAMES KELLY

Rev. James Kelly, minister of a large area in the Morinville district 35 miles north west of Edmonton, died at the home of his son, Wm. Kelly, at the age of 79 years on March 9th, 1939, having been born in Scotland June 10th, 1860.

Mr. Kelly laboured as a lay missionary among his neighbours soon after removing from Kansas, U.S.A., to settle on a farm in Alberta in 1902. He ministered at many points throughout the district and became a spiritual father to a widely spread community.

In 1913 he received special ordination and was placed on the roll of the Edmonton Presbytery, by permission of the General Assembly, and continued to minister faithfully to the congregations he had organized until failing health made it no longer possible.

He leaves to mourn his loss, his wife, seven daughters, and three sons. The funeral service was held at Goshen Church and burial was made at Ray, which was attended by a large number of his parishioners, who had found in him, a true minister and friend.

Synod of British Columbia

REV. WILLIAM E. DALY, LL.D.

On Sunday January 29th, 1939, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria, B.C., the Rev. William E. Daly, LL.D., passed to his rest in the 87th year of his age.

He was born in Ireland and received his education in the University of Dublin. He came to Canada some twenty-five years ago. He was a minister in the Methodist Church up to the time of Union. In June, 1926, he was received by the General Assembly into The Presbyterian Church in Canada and his name placed on the Appendix Roll of Victoria Presbytery.

He served the Church faithfully for some time in the Mission Field of Creston, B.C., returning to Victoria where he resided till the time of his death.

He was a man of studious habits conducting in his own home a class in the Hebrew language. As a preacher and pastor his ministry was always appreciated.

He leaves to mourn his loss one son and one daughter both living in Seattle, Washington, United States.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF PASTORAL CHARGES CONGREGATIONS AND MISSION FIELDS

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